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EDITOR
SAYS—

A large land owner in this vicinity, who is a Republican, states that he has fared better with his farms this year than in many years past, and still we suppose he will step up and vote for Landon for President.

Mrs. E. D. Preston, of Chaffee, secretary of the Scott County Old Age Assistance Board wishes the address of Martha Isobel Harris, who formerly gave her address as 203 North Frisco street, Sikeston, Mo. This in connection with the perfecting of her application for old age assistance.

What a flapper gets for nothing in a rumble seat costs an old maid five dollars at the chiropractors.

Recently we gave a summary of the speech that Jesse Barrett would probably deliver at Sikeston Saturday afternoon, and we now say that we missed it a mile. He had but one subject and that was Pendergast. He had no platform except one of revenge and he will lose on that.

The rattling of bones at the Jesse Barrett speaking in the Railroad Park Saturday afternoon were not the bones of Abraham Lincoln, but the bones of Jesse Barrett's father, who was a Democrat, and couldn't rest in his tomb when his son had strayed away from his raising.

If we were a collector of curios, believe we would try hard to get a certain piece of currency that is really rare. It seems there are only 1,337 of those bills in circulation and very few if any folks in this vicinity have seen one, much less owned it. We refer to the \$10,000 bill, which in terms of the national budget is not so much, but in the idea of the average person is quite a lot. If any of our readers happen to have a bill of this denomination, we would greatly appreciate having him leave it at this office.—Shelbina Democrat.

The Tenth Congressional District of Missouri will give the State and National Democratic ticket from twenty to twenty-five thousand majority with Dunklin County leading with eight thousand. At this time conditions were never better for the farmer, laborer and merchant. Let well enough alone.

How any man or woman drawing old age assistance in the sewing and weaving rooms, on any of the WPA projects, can vote against the State and National Democratic ticket is beyond belief. They don't have to change their politics but they can vote for those who made it possible for them to buy food and fuel.

In this twenty-three years we have been publishing The Standard and the queerest request that has come to us was to use our influence with the City Council to have them do away with the great army of long tailed rats that patrol the alleys back of the stores in the main section of Sikeston.

It is very pleasant to be remembered by friends. And this time the friends who remembered the editor with a large box of ripe persimmons were those in the weaving room. A neat folder with the names of the twenty-one employees accompanied the gift. We thank you ladies.

Thursday evening of last week was a "red letter day" so to speak, with local Mason. On this occasion more than one hundred of the brethren gathered together to honor the past masters of Sikeston Lodge No. 310. Not only was it an enjoyable lodge meeting but the banquet following served by the Ladies of the Eastern Star Lodge was a treat for the inner man that will long be remembered. Sikeston Masonic Lodge is in a flourishing condition and it was very pleasing to old grey heads present to see the many fine young men who have become members in recent months.

Sikeston merchants have some queer experiences. A young mother called for \$1.00 worth of diapers and when the package was handed her the clerk said and one cent for tax. The customer informed the clerk that she didn't use tax, she used safety pins.

The Revival now in progress at the Rutaw church will continue through this week. Much interest is being manifested. The public is invited.

Democrats Hold Meeting
Members of Democratic county committees in the 10th Congressional district held a meeting in Cape Girardeau Thursday afternoon. Hon. Jas. P. Aylward, Hon. Richard R. Nacy, A. J. Murphy and other leading democrats of Jefferson City and Mrs. Mary E. Rider of St. Louis attended the meeting and made interesting addresses.

Jesse Barrett Attacks Pendergast In Talk Here

Jesse W. Barrett told Sikeston Republicans Saturday afternoon that "Democrats will get their party back when I'm elected governor".

"I'm going to break and smash the Pendergast machine to smithereens by providing honest, clean elections all over the state," he said, "and I'm going to take the Pendergasters swarming in the capitol corridors by the back of the neck and throw them out of the capitol building." And if voters will give him a Republican ticket, particularly an attorney general to prosecute cases, Barrett said, he will send machine workers to the penitentiary and return the capital to Jefferson City from Kansas City, where he said Pendergast holds the Democratic party captive.

Barrett said Pendergastism has changed his campaign this year from an ordinary one to a "crusade against the Kansas City machine" and warned that in four years Pendergast will control the entire state if his power isn't broken now.

Barrett predicted a Republican majority of between 25,000 and 50,000 in St. Louis, which he said would have an honest election "for the first time in three or four years", and of 150,000 in rural areas, where Republicans, independents, and Democrats who place "principle above partisanship" will unite, and said that "after the Pendergast machine has stolen and bought all the votes it can we'll have a 100,000 majority". His prediction was based on "every sign I can get this year" during tours over the state, he said, adding that numerous Democrats told him they would vote a Republican ticket because they have "no place else to go".

After dismissing Major Lloyd C. Stark's charge of increased taxation under a Republican state administration in 1921 with fig-

ures purportedly showing taxes were reduced more than a third, jesting at Stark's plea to vote the Democratic ticket "because we're on the verge of war", and referring to Stark's refusal to debate state issues with him, Barrett devoted his talk to an attack on Pendergast. He charged 38,000 votes were cast for Stark, 27 for Hirth, and 3000 for himself in the primary election in two north side Kansas City wards, where only 38,000 men, women and children live. "Everybody knows the votes were stolen," he said. "When I asked Stark to help me get the federal government to send G-men to Kansas City to clean up election frauds, Stark replied it would blacken the name of Missouri. Then I wrote Stark to help me get Governor Park to act. I've had no reply to that letter."

Barrett said many might think a fraudulent vote of 60,000 was unimportant, but when the "good people" split votes so that each county had a majority of only about 500, it was enough to overpower the entire state vote. "Kansas Citizens have lost their right of self-government and are disfranchised," he said, just as are some people in Dunklin and Pemiscot counties, where he said he had heard negroes are run away from the polls.

Pendergastism is a racket, he charged, and the machine collects so much money from businesses and crime that the bosses have become the most wealthy people in the state. "I'm fighting for the state, for right, and for clean government," he said in closing.

The high school band played, and before Barrett was introduced by R. E. Bailey, George W. Kirk introduced C. E. Clowe of Dexter, a Republican nominee for state senator, and Linder Diekmund of Cape Girardeau, the party's nominee for tenth district congressman.



Test of Cotton Picking Machine at Charleston

Charleston, Mo., Oct. 18.—After waiting two weeks for suitable weather, a test of the mechanical cotton picker designed by the Rust brothers of Memphis, was made here Friday. The picker had previously been tried in a cotton field near Sikeston, Mo., but in the immature cotton was not successful. The showing was better near Charleston, although Mack Rust was not satisfied with the picking of that type of cotton. It is expected that the machine will be tried later this month in Pemiscot County.

The picker works similar to the corn harvester and corn picker. The machine straddles one row and is pulled by a tractor. As the picker moves along the cotton row, hundreds of wire spindles poke themselves through the

branches of the cotton plant, rotating at the speed of 2200 revolutions per minute. The spindles are moist and smooth and immediately upon touching the boll the cotton winds itself around the wires. The spindles travel on an endless belt, and after catching the cotton travel through a groove which pulls the cotton off the end of the spindles. The cotton drops into a conveyer and is blown into a bag.

It was estimated at the demonstration that 60 to 80 per cent of the cotton was picked the first time over. The second trip over the cotton row yielded more cotton but did not damage immature bolls. It is claimed that the machine will pick about one acre per hour, at a cost of about 98 cents per acre.

Indians Keep Record Clear With 20-0 Win

A smoothly functioning Jackson machine rolled out a 20 to 0 victory over the Bulldogs here Friday night to give the Indians their fourteenth straight win of two seasons, during which no opponent has scored against them.

Jackson scored in the first, third, and fourth quarters and seriously threatened Sikeston's goal several other times. Early in the first period, Jackson line plays and a pass took the Indians to the Sikeston 5-yard line. The Bulldogs recovered on a Jackson fumble, but Moore Greer's punt was blocked, and after one line plunge Milton Northdruff, the big Jackson end, had little difficulty in scoring. A kick for an extra point was good.

The Indians profited by a Sikeston fumble to score a second time in the third quarter. Getting the ball on the Sikeston 37-yard line, the Indians' M. Godwin completed a 20-yard pass to Northdruff and the team marched down the field with short line plunges and a pass took the Indians to the Sikeston 5-yard line. Sneathen carrying the ball, took the Indians to the 8-yard line, and in the next play, Bollinger made a touchdown.

Ed Cracraft, intercepting Rushing's pass on the Jackson 44-yard line, started the Indians to the goal again in the last quarter. Two passes of 15 yards each, Ed Cracraft to Northdruff, and line plays with Northdruff and Sneathen carrying the ball, took the Indians to the 8-yard line, and in the next play, Bollinger made a touchdown.

Late in the period, A. Godwin intercepted a Sikeston pass on the Sikeston 45-yard line, gaining ten yards before Bulldogs stopped him. Two short gains by Ed Cracraft and a six-yard pass from Cracraft to Northdruff put the Indians on the Sikeston 25-yard line as the game ended.

Twice in the first quarter and once in the second, Moore Greer failed to receive Rushing's well-placed passes to an open field, and the Bulldogs did not rally until near the end of the second period, when, as Ed Cracraft, C. Davis, and Northdruff were making substantial gains, Moore Greer intercepted a Jackson pass on the Sikeston 20-yard line.

Two successive plays, Mack Roberts and G. B. Greer made long gains to near the center of the field as the half ended.

Again, near the end of the third quarter, Moore Greer received on the Sikeston 15-yard line the Jackson kickoff that followed Sneathen's touchdown and return it to the 50-yard line. Roberts, G. B. Greer, and Moore Greer made a first down with short gains but at the Jackson 39-yard line, where the ball was at the beginning of the last quarter, the Bulldogs failed to break through the Jackson line and Rushing's pass to Moore Greer was too high so that Sikeston had to punt. After Jackson returned the punt to the Jackson 39-yard line, Rushing made a first down with a 10-yard gain. Just before the next play, however, the Sikeston center took his hands from the ball and Jackson touched it. The Indians then punted to the Sikeston 30-yard line, and soon afterward Ed Cracraft intercepted the Bulldog pass that paved the way for a third touchdown.

About 1500 attended the game. Next Friday night, accompanied by the high school band, the Bulldogs will play at Chaffee, which has beaten Dexter 13 to 7 and lost to Jackson 0 to 41 and to Kennett, 0 to 7. On October 30, they will play at Farmington, and on November 6 will be at home again for a game with Dexter.

ESCAPED REFORMATORY INMATE ARRESTED IN STOLEN CAR NEAR TOWN

Lee Marvin Beall, 15 years old, of Tulsa, Okla., was held for federal agents Saturday after Troopers Melvin Dace and Gordon B. Inglis found him driving a stolen car on Highway 61 north of town. Beall told the patrolmen he escaped Wednesday from the national training school in Washington, where he was serving a term for violating the Dyer act, stole an automobile parked nearby, and started to drive home. Trooper Dace said the car belonged to Allison J. McKinley of Clarendale, W. Va.

Secrets of the Russian spy system. More intimate revelations by Lydia Oswald, an exclusive feature of The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with Next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

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PWA Allotted County \$101,562 For Projects

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 19.—The federal government's allotments toward public works administration projects in Scott county, as of Oct. 10, last, totaled \$101,562 for non-federal public improvements, according to figures released by Robert K. Ryland, state director for the national emergency council.

Since the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works began functioning in August, 1933, to speed up employment and encourage national industrial recovery, PWA has allotted \$40,024,128 for 86 Federal projects in Missouri, such as post offices, forestry, river control and airways. On these projects the national government pays all costs. In addition \$29,633,245 has been allotted toward 250 state, county, and municipal public improve-

ments, having a total estimated construction cost of \$82,471,766, the government's share being on a 30 per cent basis under the 1933 act and 45 per cent under the 1935 and 1936 programs.

Ryland listed non-federal projects in Scott county, their respective estimated construction costs, and the amount of the national government's allotment, as follows:

Waterworks, Oran, \$47,273—Federal grant, \$21,273, loan, \$26,000; auditorium gymnasium, Blodgett, \$16,181—grant, \$6,181, loan, \$7,000; school, Benton, \$32,727—grant, \$14,727, loan, \$17,000; school, Rockview, \$9,181—grant, \$8,681, loan, \$4500.

State projects: Penal and ellemosynary buildings, \$13,344,000—grant, \$3,778,000; highway improvements, \$3,551,800—grant \$1,026,000.

Nine Fined In Police Court for Drunkenness

Judge Brown Jewell fined nine persons brought into court Monday on charges of drunkenness, including one arrested for driving while under the influence of liquor.

The driver, Eddie Carr, a negro, was taken to court by Trooper Gordon B. Inglis and fined \$15 and sentenced to fifteen days in jail. The sentence was stayed on the payment of the fine and on the defendant's good behavior. Judge ordered Carr not to drive again until January 1.

Other police court defendants were:

Clark Neal, negro, drunk, fined \$8, paid.

B. B. Scott, drunk and fighting in Frisco, fined \$12.

C. C. Ervin, drunk and disturbing the peace, fined \$12, paid.

G. M. D. Muryheid, drunk, fined \$8, paid.

Claude Lee, drunk and disturbing the peace, fined \$10 and costs, totaling \$17, committed to the streets.

Howard Lowe, Robert Williams, negro, and Willie Wilkerson, negro, drunk, fined \$10 each and committed to the streets.

Judge Jewell said Lee cursed Gid Daniels and W. A. Singleton when they arrested him Saturday night and then made such a great disturbance in jail that he had to be put in a cell.

He was not quiet until an hour later.

Three Killed When Car Hits Charleston Truck

Edward Fanger, 46-year-old farmer of near Festus, his son, James E. Fanger, 18, and a daughter, Doris LaVerne Fanger, 6, were killed and three other members of his family were injured Sunday morning when the Fanger car sideswiped a truck driven by Frank Pruett, 44, of Charleston, and then turned over.

Another son, William, Fanger, 16, was taken to a St. Louis hospital with a possible fractured skull, and Mrs. Fanger, 40, and another daughter, Lola, 12, suffered bruises and lacerations.

The accident happened on a curve on Highway 61. The Fangers were returning home from a dance and Pruett was on his way to St. Louis with a load of feed.

Pruett was not hurt. A coroner's jury decided the accident was unavoidable.

E. H. Orear Returns as M. E. Church Minister

The Rev. E. H. Orear was re-appointed pastor of the Sikeston Methodist church Sunday at the closing session of an annual St. Louis conference in Farmington.

Mr. Orear will begin serving his fifth year as minister of the Sikeston church. Other reappointments announced Sunday night included the Rev. Mr. Thorgmorton to the Charleston church and the Rev. C. H. Daugherty to the Cape Centenary church.

Bishop John M. Moore of Dallas, Texas, preached at the closing session on religion and government as the world's two greatest forces.

The Rev. Dawson C. Bryan was reappointed presiding elder of the Cape Girardeau district, as were all other elders in the conference.

The Rev. J. C. Montgomery was returned to New McKendree church at Jackson. The Rev. Leo M. Willard, pastor at Oak Ridge four years, was sent to the Blodgett-Bertrand circuit, and the Rev. R. A. Brooks of Cape Girardeau, formerly of the Whitewater circuit, was sent to Oak Ridge. Mr. Willard succeeds the Rev. C. P. Kirkendall, who will be pastor at New Madrid.

The Rev. Marvin Niblack, pastor at Bell City last year, will succeed the Rev. David T. Morrison at East Prairie. Mr. Morrison was transferred to New London, Mo. The Rev. J. W. Ham of the Poplar Bluff district will be minister of the Libbourn circuit, and the Rev. Nelson Morgan will have charge of the Matthews circuit. He formerly preached in the McLain's Chapel circuit.

The Rev. T. G. Craft will go from Malden to Portageville, succeeding the Rev. O. A. Bowers, who was sent to Eureka. The Rev. Herschel Yates of Matthews was sent to Mokane, in the Missouri conference, and the Rev. P. A. Kasey will go from Clayton to Malden. Mr. Kasey formerly was pastor at Charleston.

The Rev. W. T. Holley of New Madrid was transferred to Patton, and the Rev. L. J. Collins will come from West Plains to succeed

Mr. Brooks at Whitewater. The Rev. B. W. Johnson of the Farmington district will serve at McLain's Chapel.

Other pastors were returned, including J. T. Evans at Benton; B. F. Teague at Chaffee; Fred Woods, supply at Commerce; H. S. Holley at Fornefelt; H. E. Ryan at Illinois; W. A. Fulbright at Morehouse; J. W. Allen, supply for Morley and Vanduser; and Jesse M. Layton at Oran.

Dr. W. W. Parker of the Cape Girardeau teachers' college was elected conference lay leader, succeeding Rush H. Limbaugh. The 1937 conference will be held in Cape Girardeau.

FIVE WELL-KNOWN MEN IN WRESTLE ROYAL HERE

Five men well known to fans will appear in a wrestle royal at the armory Wednesday night.

Mike Meroney will put in the ring Lon Chaney, who hasn't been here for many weeks; Ole Olsen; Rex Mobley; Billy McEun; and Johnny Larue, the Masked Marvel until his unfortunate encounter with McEun here last week.

The first two men eliminated will return for a thirty-minute match, and the last two downed in the wrestle royal will stage a ninety-minute match. One woman will be admitted free with each paid adult ticket.

FORMER LEGION HEAD TO SPEAK ON RADIO TONIGHT

Colonel Louis Johnson, past national commander of the American Legion and now chairman of the veterans' advisory committee of the Democratic national committee, will speak on a special broadcast from 9 until 9:30 central standard time this (Tuesday) evening over the National Broadcasting Company's blue network. The program may be heard over several stations, including KWK in St. Louis.

Dr. H. L. Smith and J. L. Tanner left Sunday for a camping trip on St. Francis river.

STOP and GO

By Kemper Bruton

My hat goes off to Aldermen Rafferty, Waggoner, Forrester and Zacher. These four gentlemen who were placed in public office to do the things that are right regarding the city's policies did just that. They deserve the commendation that I am herein trying to give them. Wednesday night of last week was set as the night for a special council session to eliminate some of the hazardous conditions that exist in our city. The four gentlemen named above and the other Alderman from Ward 4 saw fit to fulfill their duty to the taxpayers and attended the meeting. One of the remaining three aldermen went to the wrestling match; another waited outside until the meeting was adjourned and then expressly his disapproval of the measures that were up for discussion. The third member has not been seen but what business should necessitate his being absent at a time so important? Even the fact that he was out of the city did not deprive him of the right and power to express his opinion on the matter to other council members before he left. Or maybe he did. The result of the meeting was that only four members were present that were wholeheartedly in favor of the measures. It requires a quorum of five members to pass an issue.

The Mayor and the City Attorney, together with the City Police, are greatly in favor of the legislation proposed to eliminate double and angle parking on our streets. The Traffic Planning Board, composed of representatives of the city's civic groups as well as the City Government, met last Monday night and drew up the proposed legislation. Yet, in the face of such a demand from the citizens of the town, some of our own city councilmen were so indifferent to the matter as to purposely remain away from the meeting. And one of the Aldermen expressed himself that he would rather provide parking space for several additional automobiles than to provide safety for the pedestrians and drivers on our streets.

Now, the Council will assemble in special session again tonight to further discuss this business. It remains to be seen whether or not the aldermen who have shown such indifference to the corrections of the hazardous conditions that exist in the city will come to that meeting and answer AYE to the question!

Citizens of Sikeston, may I be so bold as to ask this question—will we, at the next city election, elect to the City Council men who are not willing to do everything possible to make Sikeston the metropolis that it is destined to be?

We feel as a City that we are as progressive as Cape Girardeau and Poplar Bluff. We hear traveling men tell us that we are doing more business than either of these towns. We are told that we will have a population of over 10,000 within the next few years and the increase in the past few years makes this highly possible. We know these things and in the face of them we are contented to continue under small town rule and leadership.

The fact that parking has been changed many times in the past does not mean that that situation will come to pass again in the future. Angle parking is dangerous and must be eliminated forever. And now is the proper time to eliminate it.

Fellow townsmen! Are you with me?

And, as the drive to make Sikeston a safe city in which to ride and walk has started, it might be well for some of our feminine drivers as well as some of the opposite sex to practice the art of parking parallel. And after that has been mastered it might be well for them to try the old fashioned method of walking three blocks to get to their destination.

A. J. CRAIG FOUND GUILTY ON BAD CHECK CHARGE

A justice court jury found A. J. Craig guilty Thursday afternoon of issuing a worthless \$15 check at Graber's last summer and fixed his punishment at \$1 fine and costs.

Jurors also stipulated that Craig was to make restitution to Graber's, where in July 31 he paid for purchases of \$9 with a \$15 check.

Craig has been free on a \$100 bond since his arrest. The case was heard in Judge Joseph W. Myers' court. Members of the jury were James Matthews, Joe Sidwell, Barney Forrester, W. C. Bills, J. H. Andres, and W. C. Lindley.

Prosecuting Attorney W. P. Wilkerson dismissed for lack of prosecution bad check cases filed by Gately's of Cape Girardeau against Irvin Conrad and Odie Goodwin.

DINNER FOR FRIENDS

Shad Old was host to twelve of his friends Friday evening at a dinner after which the boys attended the football game. The guests were: Bobby Montgomery, John Russell Felker, Art Swacker, Billy Wright, Lee Austin Bowman, Loomis Mayfield, Jr., Jean Kline, David Lumsden, Jr., Ben Bowman, Doyle Heath, Dick Tongate and Bud Latham.

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Really, we ought to tell this in the news columns, but on account of its political flavor, it might be well to put it here. A man, now living in Shelby, spent the summer in Iowa, traveling through 25 towns, his business requiring him to spend at least three days in each. He says that the farmers of Iowa are overwhelmingly behind Roosevelt for re-election, in spite of the Literary Digest and special writers of metropolitan papers. Not only are they going to vote for Roosevelt, he says, but they are going to the stores where they do their trading and telling their merchants to support Roosevelt or lose their former business. This man has no doubt of Iowa's being safely on the Roosevelt side.—Shelby Democrat.

Three small boys were each wearing a sunflower and when asked if they knew it was a Landon badge they said they did, then asked why they were for Landon for President, they said he was for closing the schools, and so were they. And there you are.

Headline in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat informs the public that "Bette Davis 'Chattel' in Producers' Hands." And there you are.

It will be sad news to boarding house keepers throughout the land when they learn the prune crop has been cut to 182,000 tons by early frosts.

Wallace Crossley, state relief administrator, announced today that more than 5000 Missouri youths had been enrolled in the Junior CCC camps during the first two weeks in October. The boys came from relief families and from farm families stricken by the drouth, he said.

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Personal and Society News From Oran

(From Last Week)
 Mrs. Rockett and Mrs. Engle went to Cape Girardeau Saturday where they took the bus for St. Louis for a visit with their daughters.

Mrs. Claude O'Connor of Sikeston spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Myers. Mrs. Myers accompanied her home Sunday night and spent Monday in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sikes and son Cecil of Bonne Terre and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Counts of Esther visited at the Dolph Sikes and Chas. Carter homes last week. Mr. and Mrs. Sikes and children and John Gosche accompanied them to Bonne Terre Saturday to be present at the wedding of Mr. Sikes' brother Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tenkhoff and son Caleb and W. A. Poe left Thursday for their homes in Long Beach, Calif.

Harry Womack had business in Cape Girardeau, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, son Cline, daughter Patricia of Cape Girardeau and Miss Burke of Vanduser visited Sunday afternoon at the Chas. Carter and W. B. Dillingham homes.

Mrs. Powell Marshall returned to her home in St. Louis Monday after a week's visit at the home of her brother, Louis Mitchell and family. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haw in Malden.

Mrs. Cuba Burkhardt spent a few days last week in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Holloway of near Marked Tree, Ark., were here a few hours Saturday at the Chas. Oliver home. They were former residents of the Hooe district.

Earl Watkins came home last week from a Cape Girardeau hospital where he has been for medical treatment. Layton will attend the annual Methodist conference in Farmington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Alfultis and children came down from Farmington to spend the week end.

Miss Madge Mason came up from Sikeston to spend the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Van Lear and daughter of Leadwood spent the week end with Mrs. Van Lear's mother, Mrs. Howard.

Miss Estelle Query of Cape Girardeau has been visiting old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Furness have purchased and moved into the Mrs. Walter's property.

Mrs. Hazel McGinnis and Mrs. Flora Tindal were in Delta Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whittedge and children of Cape Girardeau visited at the Dr. Winters home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bryans entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday night. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Ewin Reisenbichler, Miss Elsie Berk, Earl Tibbs and John Wagoner of Jackson and Miss Louanna Fulewider. The Halloween spirit was carried out in the decorations and a pleasant evening spent at cards.

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Personal and Society News From Pleasant Valley

(From Last Week)

There was an attendance of 64 at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larcom had as their guests Saturday night and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker of Sikeston.

Mrs. C. I. Niswonger and children, Freda Mae and Loomis of near Millersville visited the former's sister and brother, Mrs. O. B. Allen and Mr. F. M. Hartle over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen had as their guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shelton, daughter, Vera, Mrs. C. I. Niswonger and children, Freda Mae, Rusby, and Loomis.

Vernon Shelton spent Sunday with Raymond Dams.

A two weeks revival meeting will begin Sunday night, Oct. 18 at the Pleasant Valley or better known as Boardman church. Rev. Colvin of the Charter Oak community will preach. He will be assisted by Rev. Asa of this community.

There will be services at the church Saturday night and Sunday morning. The pastor Rev. Asa, will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller and children Opal, Ogle, Robert, Rosella, and Warrick spent Sunday with the former's brother and family of Morley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wheelley spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Loyd Stanfill and family.

Personal And Society Items From Charleston

By Anne Latimer

Charleston, Oct. 16.—Seventeen members were in attendance at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon at the church. Mrs. J. C. McDowell served as chairman using as her topic, "Carrying of the Light", and she gave a World Wide Radio Broadcast from Charleston C. M. E. C. Station at the church. The program, which was very unusual and highly enjoyed by all in attendance consisted of a talk by Mrs. E. E. Bryant, representing "Brazil", Mrs. Harley Estes "Mexico", Mrs. John Turner "Africa", Mrs. Robert Fowkes "China", and a musical program consisting of a vocal solo by Mrs. H. C. Ficklin, accordion solo by Mrs. Moffat Latimer, and vocal

solo by Mrs. Moffat Latimer, all in keeping with the topic.

On Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 13, from 2 to 5 p. m. Mrs. A. V. Goodin entertained with a tea at her home on North Main Street complimentary to her daughters-in-law, Mesdames A. V. Goodin, Jr., and S. C. Goodin, both recent brides. The reception rooms and dining room were artistically decorated with baskets filled with yellow flowers of the autumn season. Burning yellow tapers in silver candlebras shed a soft light over the rooms. For receiving the guests Mrs. Goodin was attired in a fall model of black crepe with satin trimmings, and she wore a corsage of orchid chrysanthemums. Mrs. A. V. Goodin, Jr., wore a gown of blue velvet and Mrs. S. C. Goodin rust velvet. Both wore corsages of yellow roses.

Miss Dorothy Ragsdale, Mesdames A. J. Drinkwater, Jr., Tom and Lanier Byrd, O. C. Burroughs, Charles French, Ella Deal, Sue Reid, E. E. Bryant, Karl Marshall, and Buckner Ragsdale of this city and Mesdames H. E. Drake and Russell McBride of Cape Girardeau assisted in pouring tea and serving. They wore afternoon gowns of colors harmonizing with the chosen color motif. The table was lovely with its cloth of Italian cut work and beautiful silver service. A large silver bowl filled with marigolds and other fall flowers shading from yellow to rust color arranged with fern formed the central decoration. Four beautiful silver candlesticks held the burning yellow tapers.

Refreshments of sandwiches, individual cakes, mints, mixed nuts, and tea were served. Some two hundred guests called during the appointed hours.

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Sadly missed by
 Miss Ada Mays,
 Mrs. Tula Gestring,
 Mr. and Mrs. B. S. La Cour.

GOV. PARK TO SPEAK AT PARTY RALLY AT BENTON

Benton, Oct. 10.—Otto Schoen, chairman of the Scott County Democratic Committee, announced today upon his return from a conference in Kansas City that Gov. Guy B. Park would make an address here the night of Thursday, Oct. 29 at a Democratic rally. It is planned to make the rally one of the district-wide proportions. Mr. Schoen said. The meeting will be in the community building.

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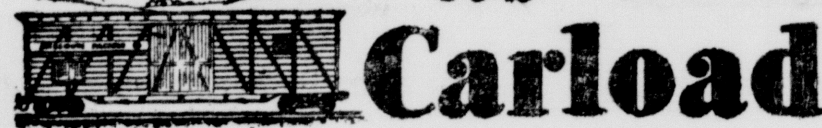
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Commerce, Friday, Oct. 23.

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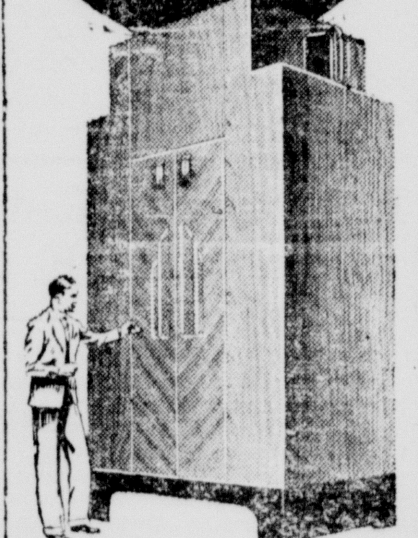
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Friday, Nov. 4, 5 and 6.

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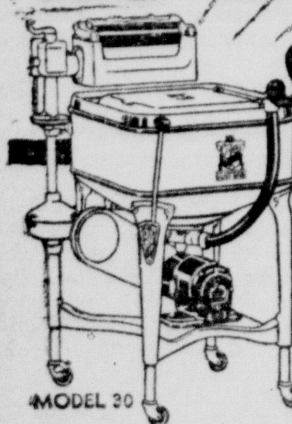
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Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

(From Last Week)

Harvey Lee Hulton of East is visiting friends here.

David Reeves who has been in CCC camp in California for several months is now home.

Mesdames Dent Tanner and Sadie Broch visited friends in Oran Monday.

Lora May Maxwell, celebrated her 6th birthday Friday, Oct. 9th. Quite a lot of little folks were present and Miss Lora May received quite a lot of nice presents and all enjoyed delicious refreshments prepared by her mother, Mrs. Lora Maxwell.

Mrs. Marion Chambers and Grandma Benson visited the latter's son in a hospital in Cape Girardeau Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Robinson of Landers Ridge and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Proctor and son, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Height.

Mrs. Virginia Dalryple of Sikeston was Sunday guest of her grandmother Mary E. Smith.

Mrs. George Boone, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. L. O. Vick were business visitors in Sikeston Wednesday.

The women's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of Mrs. Nora Spence Thursday, Oct. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. McColgan and children of Risco, were week end guests of Mrs. L. O. Vick as they were enroute home from visiting relatives and friends in Fairfield and Eldorado, Ill.

Mrs. Susie Walden visited friends here Thursday, Friday and Saturday as she was enroute to Farmington, from Lynchburg, Va., where she visited her sister whom she had not seen in nineteen years.

Rev. A. C. Sullivan has been unanimously called as pastor by the Baptist church at Miner.

Melvin Sullivan and wife and Russel Glens and Lorene Troxwell attended services at Miner Sunday at 11 o'clock and the latter couple were married at the close of the services by Rev. A. C. Sullivan. The writer wishes them a long and happy life.

Mrs. J. M. Brown enjoyed a surprise birthday dinner Friday, Oct. 9. Twenty-one friends and relatives brought baskets of good eats and all enjoyed the dinner given in honor of Count Jule's 85th birthday. Her daughter, Mrs. Mollie Tate of Jonesboro, Ark., was present. All departed late in the afternoon wishing her many more happy birthdays.

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Personal And Society Items From Matthews

(From Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden of near Canolou were week end guests of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spalding.

Little Betty Ann and Dickie Gossett who are making their home with their aunt, Mrs. Ben Mills, spent the week end in Charleston with their father, Alfred Gossett.

Mrs. Dimple Gurley of Sikeston spent Sunday and Monday here visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lumsden visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Nora Wilmoth, near Bertrand, Sunday. They were accompanied by their little son Larry who had been visiting his grandmother.

Alean, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stobaugh met with a very painful accident Sunday when she fell from a persimmon tree, breaking her arm just below the elbow. She was immediately taken to Sikeston where she received medical attention.

Supt and Mrs. J. N. Hucklestep and children spent the week end in Belgrade with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Deane and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Lilbourn with relatives.

The following from here attended the fair in Caruthersville Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Roberts, Misses Helen Waters and Margaret Weissenborn, Mesdames Chas. Hawkins and Olen Critchlow and James Huls.

Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wilson were twelve o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alsop Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer were New Madrid visitors Sunday.

Glenn and Howard Durely spent Thursday night here with friends.

Miss Abbie Lee Daugherty of Sikeston spent the week end here with her aunt, Mrs. Tallie Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis visited relatives in East Prairie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Vaughn and daughters, spent Sunday near Bloomfield with Mrs. Vaughn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Blackshear.

There will be Program and Box Supper at Canoy School Tuesday night, Oct. 22. Everyone is invited to come. Proceeds of the Box Supper will be used to buy equipment for the school.

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Personal and Society News From Morley

(From last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster and family visited at the home of Mrs. Alice Foster at Advance Sunday afternoon.

A house on the farm owned by West Bros. Amusement Co. 2 1/2 mile from town was burned early Tuesday morning. Bob Laughlin, the care taker, went to feed after lighting an oil-stove to prepare his breakfast and upon his return found the house in flames. 2 trunks, a chum and a mattress were all that were saved.

Announcements were received here this week of the birth of a daughter, Sandra Janice, to Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Grant of Piedmont. Mr. Grant was a former teacher in the Morley school.

Mesdames Hal Boyce and Rex Boyce, Miss Elizabeth Emory of Sikeston and J. R. Lee Jr. were at the football game between Illinois and Southern California. A nephew of Mrs. Hal Boyce is a member of the California squad.

Miss Ruby Hitt of Cape Girardeau spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lancaster and family moved to Morley last week from a farm near Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer and son, Clarence Aaron, were Sunday visitors at the Mrs. C. D. Harris home.

Mrs. Watson Mize of Sikeston was ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughan, a few days last week.

Mrs. Maud Daugherty is in St. Louis this week attending Grand Chapter of the O. E. S.

Mesdames W. R. McDonough, E. W. McDonough, Mary Earles and Lottie Leslie were visitors in Cape Girardeau Tuesday. The two former ladies visited with Miss Lucille McDonough on the steamer, Capital enroute to New Orleans.

Mrs. Howard Gearhardt and little daughter of Salera returned to their home Saturday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Mize.

Mrs. I. M. Counts of Esther, Mrs. John Sikes of Bonne Terre, Mrs. J. A. Sikes and Mrs. Chas. Carter of Oran were guests of Mrs. C. A. Stallings, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. H. F. Emerson returned home Friday from an executive meeting and a State Board meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's clubs held at Jefferson City and Fulton, Mo., respectively. Mrs. Emerson is corresponding secretary.

Miss Dorothy Rankin of Vanduser was a visitor at the homes of Mrs. Phoebe Black and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn over the week end.

Mrs. Emma Gross and grandson, Junior Gross, went to Kennett Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chester Dillon for two weeks.

Mesdames Ralph Vaughn, H. F. Emerson, Alford Bryant, Harris Foster and J. R. Lee expect to attend the 9th District convention of Women's Federated clubs at Caruthersville Thursday and Friday.

Miss Dorothy Weber of Festus spent the week end with Mrs. Phoebe Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Edmiston visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edmiston at Vanduser Saturday.

The M. E. Missionary Society birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Smith last Thursday. Mesdames J. W. Allen, J. E. Smith and G. D. Harris were hostesses. The meeting was led by Mrs. U. G. Ragins with Mrs. Phoebe Black leading the Devotional. Contests furnished entertainment for the afternoon.

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Out of town guests included Mesdames J. A. Cline, Leroy Poe, O. L. Jenkins, Anna Lucas, J. C. Sanders, George Rasmussen, L. P. Drizell, Harry Gleason and Ella Steele of Oran and Mrs. Maggie Worth of Portageville.

A banquet was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star Tuesday night for a meeting of the Red & White managers and employees and wives of S. E. Mo., 37 plates were served.

A large crowd heard the speech of Congressman Orville Zimmerman at the Gym Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Renshaw Hale and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Dines Hale and family of Vanduser the last of the week.

The teacher had been giving a lesson on modern inventions to his class, "Can any of you boys," he said, "tell me of anything of importance which did not exist 50 years ago?"

"Me," exclaimed one of them.

seat beside me, though there were 50 or more vacant seats in the smoker. He began to talk about the weather and other trifling matters, to all of which I agreed, not being in an argumentative mood. Then he turned to prohibition and I still agreed with him. At that point we were passing a pasture, with 50 or 60 head of cattle in it. He called my attention to the fact that one of the cattle had jumped the fence into a wheat field. I said: "Well, they ought to put a yoke on every one of these cattle". He looked surprised at that assertion and asked me why I would yoke all the cattle when there seemed to be only one breachy one. I said: "For the same reason that you want to put a yoke on every human being because there is about one in every 50 or 60 that is breachy and will 'jump the fence'". But I want to say that, if something is not done to curb the whiskey trade, the manufacturers of the liquor, the wholesalers and the retailers will, themselves, "kill the goose that is laying the golden eggs" for them now. If they cannot be satisfied with a reasonable, less destructive amount of trade, they will have none at all and will have only themselves to blame.

Nood Mainord has taken possession of his new barber shop, opposite the post office. He sold out and left here some time ago, but nobody can stay away from Lilbourn very long. They all come back.

It is rumored that the Nesselrodt-Campbell Gin Co., will erect a new brick building, opposite the post office, this fall or early next spring. These two boys, both some boys, seem to be making a success of the gin business. Last spring they found money with which to finance the operating expense of more than 500 farmers, who all are now doing their ginning at the N-C Gin and the boys are said to be making oodles of the wherewith to construe. Glad of it. They are said to contemplate using the new building for a commissary.

A number of our business men, who have been contributing liberally toward the expense of Trade Day, which is bringing so many shoppers to town every Saturday, are quite incensed at the way a local paper treats them. This paper publishes only the names of such donors to the Trade Day fund, as seem to the publisher to be deserving. This shortsighted publisher (I came darn near calling him a man) seems to believe that he can force every business house in town to use his paper for advertising or spend money for job work, or vote the Republican ticket.

Only three more weeks to election, when President Roosevelt will be given permission to continue his noble work of bringing the country around the corner and into prosperous times. I told this to a Republican farmer the other day and he says: "Huh! You tellin' it?"

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind sympathy and many words of consolation in this time of our very deep sorrow over the passing of our dear wife and daughter, Mrs. Lorene Parks. Especially do we thank the minister, the Rev. A. L. Shoemaker, for the message, the choir for the good songs and also the undertakers.

John Parks and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Counsel and family.

SUTTERFIELD WILL HEAD KIWANIS CLUB NEXT YEAR

J. A. Sutterfield was elected president of the Kiwanis club at a meeting Thursday night. He succeeds George W. Kirk, who as retiring president, will become a member of the board of directors.

R. T. Cooley was chosen vice-president and Earl Allen, treasurer. These men were elected directors: J. F. Cox, the Rev. E. H. Orenar, Lonnie M. Standley, F. E. Mount, Dr. B. L. McMullin, J. S. Kevil, and Z. E. McAmis.

The new officers' terms will begin the first of next year.

Luther Baker's Father Dies

W. R. Baker, a retired farmer of Chillicothe and the father of Luther Baker of Sikeston, died suddenly Thursday after suffering a heart attack on a street in Campbell, where he went October 11 to visit another son, W. R. Baker, Jr. Funeral services were held Saturday, and burial was in Charleston. Mr. Baker was 76 years old. Besides his sons, he is survived by his wife.

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With Dick Powell and Joan Blondell.
FRIDAY, OCT. 23--
Pal Night!!
MURDER WITH PICTURES
With Lew Ayres and Gail Patrick.
SATURDAY, OCT. 24--
PEPPER
With Jane Withers and Irvin S. Cobb.
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCT. 25-26--
GIVE ME YOUR HEART
With Kay Francis and George Brent.

ONE MOMENT PLEASE

By Fay Kerr

I quote the following from E. Stanley Jones' article in the Sunday's Globe-Democrat: "As I sat down at the table for the first time at the beginning of a voyage, the ship's officer asked me what I had been doing in South Africa. When I told him I had been lecturing there he replied in a very blunt way: 'Well, it's a very serious thing to undertake to tell other people what to do.' 'Yes', I replied very slowly, 'it is, especially if you yourself are under obligations to act on what you are telling others.'"

Consistency! Oh, how we need it today. We need it in our homes, we need it in our Clubs, we need it in our Churches. Consistency means condition of standing or adhering together, or being fixed in union, as the parts of a body. Milton says, "the church of God, as meaning the whole consistency of orders and members." Bacon says, "Water, being divided, maketh many circles till it restore itself to the natural consistency."

It appears that the members of some of our Churches are more concerned with making many circles than with being a natural consistency. It seems that in a Church, Christ should be able to bring about a harmony of parts. There should be a consistency of opinions. Consistency of conduct. Consistency of character. When the church shows no consistency we can reach only one conclusion. Christ is not in that church.

Before I can sell you an ideal I must convince you that it is genuine and will really work. If I have faith enough in an ideal to recommend it to you I certainly ought to have faith enough in it to try it myself. Every member of any church has accepted some sort of religious ideal. He is under obligations to carry that ideal into every walk of life. People out of the church are constantly watching us and if our conduct is no different from theirs can we make them believe that we have anything they haven't? We mean about the condition of the world! We, the Christian people are to blame for the present condition. Before we can lead the world to Christ we must convince the world that we know the way ourselves.

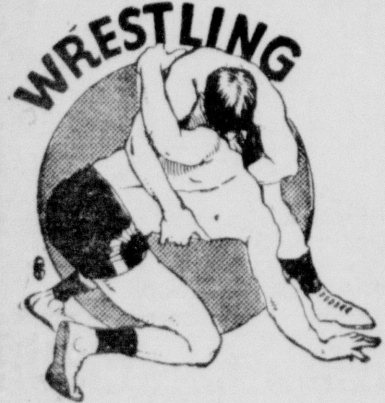
We are not only judged by our conduct but we are judged by our attitudes. Certain attitudes weak-

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A MAIN COURSE MIRACLE



ROAST loin of pork and crispy-brown sweet potato pineapple puffs—how does that sound for an appetizing main course? It's a delightful treat for autumn appetites and, cooked by the modern electric range, it's simple and easy to make. The meat starts to bake in the unpreheated electric oven while the sweet potato puffs are fried in deep fat, heated by controlled electric heat. Little time and energy is required to prepare this all-important part of the meal. And the result—a tender, uniformly cooked roast and puffy sweet potato balls fried in even-temperated deep fat.

en the will and produce despair. These attitudes are false and have no place in the Christian life. They have a bad effect upon humanity. If I am a Christian I have faith in the wellspring of my own soul. I can not see the air, but I can feel it and do not doubt that it exists. I can not see or describe the force that I feel in my heart that sustains me and helps me go on from hour to hour and day to day. I have faith in that force. It created me. It is very real and personal to me. If I should lose this force, this personal consciousness of God, I don't know what I should do. It gives meaning and purpose to my life and without it I would be lost.

Anger, malice, the desire for vengeance, are poisons that we brew in our own hearts and they destroy the soul. I would not take poison unless I wanted to commit suicide. I do not desire to commit spiritual suicide therefore I have no place in my heart for malice or revenge. Such a desire would do me more harm than it could possibly do the other person, so I simply refuse to become perturbed over some things that cause other people to burn up so much energy.

I would be foolish not to dodge a falling tree that might mangle or destroy me. For the same reason I dodge or shun certain types of people that leave me feeling bruised and spent and in need of a mental renovation.

We need to develop and preserve our souls as well as our bodies. Perhaps the day will come when we will become soul-conscious. I hope that the great preaching now under way in this country will help to bring about that day.

PROMINENT EDUCATORS TO SPEAK AT TEACHERS' MEET

An impressive group of speakers headed by Admiral Richard E. Byrd, the noted Antarctic explorer, will address sessions of the Southeast Missouri Teachers' Association in Cape Girardeau Thursday and Friday.

Admiral Byrd will lecture and show motion pictures of his stay at the South Pole at a meeting Thursday afternoon for teachers, who will be admitted on their certificates of membership.

Other speakers will be Lloyd W. King, state superintendent of schools; Miss Charl Ormond Williams of Washington, field secretary of the National Education Association; John L. Bracken, superintendent of the Clayton, Mo., schools; Dr. C. E. Benson, chairman of New York University's department of educational psychology; Roscoe P. Patton, president of the Southern Illinois teachers' college at Carbondale; and Dr. John Ruff, professor of education at the University of Missouri.

Features of the convention will include presentation of a three-act play by the Flat River Junior College Wednesday evening; an all-Southeast Missouri high school chorus concert at 1:45 Friday afternoon; and an annual homecoming football game Friday night. Sikeston's schools will be closed Thursday and Friday so that instructors may attend the sessions.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday. Glasses fitted. tf

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MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

National Capital Removal Convention Meets at St. Louis

On October 20, 1869, St. Louis, in gala convention attire, welcomed delegates from seventeen states and territories including Alaska, Alabama, Montana, Utah, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Missouri and Kentucky, to consider the question of the removal of the National Capital from Washington D. C. to the Mississippi valley. In the afternoon, at half past two o'clock, Mr. L. U. Shyrock, called the expectant delegates to order and announced the purpose of the Convention: to secure the removal of the National Capital from its location on the Potomac to the Banks of the Mississippi. Cheer after cheer arose from the delegates at the announcement from Mr. Shyrock.

St. Louis' aspiration to the location of the National Capital was an open secret. Since the brilliant prophecy of Henry Breckenridge in the early nineteenth century that the small village on the Mississippi would become the "Memphis of the American Nile," St. Louis had reveled in visions of greatness. The proposed State constitution near St. Louis "for the purpose of locating thereon the seat of the government of the United States," later, in 1852, the New York Buffalo Express invoked the aid of the press of the West and Southwest in urging the removal of the Capital to St. Louis. In 1863, Congressman C. A. Newcomb of Missouri had introduced a resolution into Congress proposing the removal of the National Capital to St. Louis county. Finally, Mr. L. U. Reavis, a St. Louisian, had conducted a vigorous campaign to secure the removal of the National Capital to St. Louis.

Yet the Capital Removal Convention was doomed to failure. Despite the assurance of the West that as surely "as the power of empire advanced Westward, the seat of empire must go with it," the Convention was in many respects a fiasco. For the West, united in the certainty of its power to remove the National Capital, was torn asunder on the question of location.

Surprisingly, the Chicago Tribune on July 7, 1869, three and a half months before the Convention, proposed in a lengthy editorial the removal of the Capital to St. Louis. "The arguments

based on centrality of area and population which led a former generation to locate the Capital at Washington," stated the Tribune, "now prevail in favor of St. Louis." "The present public buildings at Washington," the Tribune went on to say, could be taken down "stone by stone" and re-erected in St. Louis. What was needed was "not discussion" but "speedy action."

Immediately, the subject was taken up by the national press from Washington D. C. to San Francisco and from Milwaukee to the Gulf. That the capital should be removed was the dictum of the entire West; St. Louis, in the general opinion, was the ideal location. Before the end of August, St. Louis, overriding all doubts as to the auspiciousness of calling a convention in St. Louis, issued invitations to a National Capital Removal Convention. St. Louis, it was modestly stated, acted only "in the interests of the West."

No sooner, however, was the project of removal definitely launched than local rivalry and jealousy made of the West a "House Divided." "Let St. Louis talk less about the Capital and more about herself a market" was the thrust of the Kansas City Journal of Commerce. Chicago probably has a "private view of her own" was the opinion of the St. Joseph Herald. "The Tribune," said the Omaha Republican, "thinks that the legislation of Congress might interfere with the Chicago 'custom' of putting up 80 pounds of fish in a barrel where should be 100." "We must go for Cincinnati," announced the Cincinnati Chronicle. "Keokuk... is upon the Mississippi and on the same side as St. Louis," pointed out the Keokuk Gate City. St. Louis was "badly sold," thought the Kansas City Bulletin, referring to the Chicago "joke." The Indianapolis Journal thought Indianapolis "the very spot" for the location of the National Capital. The East sat back and watched the fun.

Forebodings overshadowed St. Louis by the time of the meeting of the Capital Removal Convention in October. In vain, judicious voices had sounded caution and delay in the calling of the Convention, pointing out the expense involved, the wisdom of awaiting the returns of the census of 1870 and, above all, the tactical error of calling a convention in St. Louis, a move which had every appearance of self-interest.

But the die was cast; on the nineteenth, the Missouri Republican philosophically announced: "Ready or unready, we must meet them in the spirit in which they come."

The next day, October 20, the Convention met for the first day of a three-day session. Eloquent oratory, resolutions, the usual "tour of the city," and a banquet were put through the paces of customary ritual. But the calling of the Convention had been both unwise and premature; zest was lacking on the part of its participants.

STATE ADDS \$2 TO OLD AGE CHECKS THIS MONTH

Kansas City, Oct. 15.—The 48,000 Missourians receiving old age pensions will find their October checks have been increased \$2. Allen M. Thompson, old age pension commissioner, announced here today. The increase has been made possible, he said, by a recent ruling of the comptroller general's office prohibiting back payments by the government of pensions, releasing funds from which the extra payments will be made.

FORMER REPUBLICAN OFFICIAL TO TALK HERE

Forrest A. Harness, a former United States district attorney, is scheduled to speak at a Republican rally here Wednesday afternoon during the course of a Southeast Missouri tour during the course of a Southeast Missouri tour during which he will also address audiences in Caruthersville, New Madrid, Jackson, Marble Hill, and Fredericktown.

Mr. Harness gained most prominence when he went to Greece and returned with Samuel Insull, the utilities magnate, for a trial. He later served as one of the prosecutors.

FINED \$10 FOR RIDING BICYCLE ON SIDEWALK

Judge Brown Jewell fined a negro \$10 Friday night for riding a bicycle on a sidewalk and issued a warning against both bicycle riding on walks and reckless driving.

"The city intends to stop these practices," Judge Jewell said, "any one brought into my court for reckless driving or riding wheels on sidewalks will be fined." Existing ordinances provide

penalties for violations. Riding his bicycle on a North Kingshighway walk Thursday night, Homer Lyons, the negro, knocked down J. W. Cox as Cox stepped from the Albritton funeral home door. Lyons was thrown from his wheel but got up and escaped. He was arrested the next evening. Judge Jewell fined him \$10. James C. Eaton was fined \$10 Friday on a charge of being drunk.

The first full year since 1861 without a single national bank failure ended October 1, 1936. For the previous year there were 14 failures. There are now 5384 national banks.

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CITY AUTOMOBILE LICENSE NOW DUE

All Auto Licenses issued by the City of Sikeston have expired October 14, 1936 and are of no further value, therefore it will be necessary to purchase new licenses covering period from

Oct. 14, 1936 to Oct. 14, 1937

It is against the City Ordinances for anyone residing within the City limits of Sikeston to operate a Motor vehicle after October 14, 1936 without these licenses. This is a general notice to all auto owners and should be given your prompt attention.

You Must Display Your City Auto License Tag

A. C. BARRETT, City Clerk.

ELMOS TAYLOR, City Collector.

ANNOUNCING

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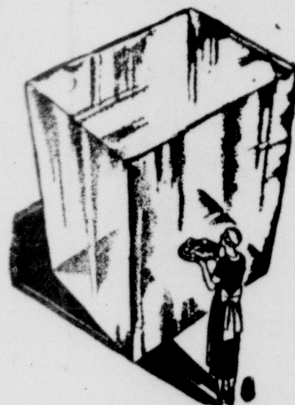
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who are failing to contribute your share of the cost of street lighting expense by refusing to patronize the Municipal Light Plant?

The patrons of Sikeston's Municipal Light Plant are paying this bill which should be a direct obligation of all of the city taxpayers.

SEE THAT YOUR MERCHANT AND NEIGHBOR IS ON YOUR LINE.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

LOCALS

NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

By Milus R. Davis

Mrs. Herbert Bandy left Sunday for Philadelphia, Pa., for about a two months' visit with her sister, Mrs. Sally Chaney.

Dr. Dudley Shaw of Decatur, Ill., visited Dr. and Mrs. B. L. McMullin the first of the week.

Friends of Miss Kathryn Clark, who sustained a badly sprained ankle in a fall two weeks ago, will be glad to know that her condition is improving, although she is unable as yet to walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Smith and son Richard, spent the week end in St. Louis.

Mrs. E. W. Murray of Texarkana, Ark., who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Meiderhoff, left Friday for St. Louis to visit another daughter, before returning to her home.

Miss Imogene Albritton, who is employed with the WPA in Jefferson City, spent the week end here with her family.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Presnell and Mrs. A. E. Shankle visited in Eptonville, Tenn., Sunday, with Mrs. Presnell's sister, Mrs. G. W. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett spent the week end with relatives in Doniphan.

Mr. and Mrs. Randol Wilson went to Carlinville, Ill., Saturday to spend a week visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Olla Candrey.

Miss Billie Jenkins of Jackson was a week end guest of her sister, Miss Maxine Jenkins, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taylor.

Mrs. F. M. Sikes accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Brown of Charleston and Mrs. Ed P. Crowe of Dexter to Columbia, Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brown.

They will also visit in Jefferson City and Kansas City before returning home the last of this week.

Mrs. H. J. Welsh, Mrs. E. H. Orear, Mrs. Anna Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and daughter, Miss Ruth, attended the Sunday meeting of the St. Louis conference of Methodist churches in Farmington.

Mrs. F. F. Converse returned Saturday from St. Louis, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson, and attended several sessions of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star.

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HOLMES Grease Lift For Sale. See Ichy Arthur.

LOST—Brown male pointer pup five months old. Short haired. W. H. Keller. Phone 726.

WANTED—Woman or couple, cooking and general housework. References. Address No. 6 Edgewood Road, St. Louis Co., Mo.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Horse Power hay press in good condition. Also Pointer Bird pups, ready for service. Jake Ferguson, 1 mile south of Brown Spur. 11-3

FOR SALE—Abruzzi seed rye and Michigan Wonder seed wheat. Murray Klein. 41-5

FOR SALE—To be moved off lot, one 2-room house, one 3-room house and two cabins, reason for selling leaving city on account of health. Mrs. Prentice Crawford, 628 Greer Ave. 11-2



FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment, adults. 203 Ruth St. Phone 319.

FOR RENT—5-room unfurnished apartment, bath, lights and water. Shelby St. Mrs. M. G. Gresham. 11-5

FOR RENT—Sleeping room for gentleman or couple 627 Greer. Phone 453. 11-8

FOR RENT—4-room house, water, bath and light. Brown Jewell. City Hall. 11-3

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of the plan is paid by the accumulated interest.

P. T. A. organizations, Ladies' Aid Societies, and other public organizations are urged to invite some school man of the county to present the matter before their body and thus arouse interest of the public.

The Schoolmasters' Club met at Portageville on October 5 with about 40 per cent. Supt. Roy V. Ellise and "Peg" Mahew of Skeston were outside visitors. Amendment Number Three and other items of interest were discussed. The November meet was voted to be held at Canolau.

D. A. R.

King's Highway Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. A. J. Renner Friday afternoon, October 9. This was the first meeting of the year.

At the business session, reports from officers about the year's work were given. Committees were appointed, and plans for the coming year were discussed. It was reported that Mildred Lynn received the D. A. R. prize in history at the close of school, money was contributed to the Ozark School, and money was contributed to the fund for underprivileged children last winter.

A News Letter from Mrs. Chiles, the State Regent, told of the State Conference held in Excelsior Springs the first of October. Plans were discussed for attending a Regional Meeting to be held at the Marquette Hotel in Cape Girardeau October 24. Before the business session a luncheon will be given.

Miss Lydia Chaney, the program leader, discussed the D. A. R. Magazine, and from the September Number, read several very interesting articles about North Carolina—its scenery, highways, Pisgah National Park, and the renowned wild gardens of Phodendron, Mountain Laurel, and Ozales in the "Land of the Sky."

After the meeting adjourned, a social hour was enjoyed.

GOOD WILL TOURISTS TO STOP IN 16 TOWNS

St. Louis business men who intend to visit Skeston for a half hour October 27 will also stop in fifteen other Southeast Missouri and Northeast Arkansas towns during a two-day good will tour.

The special Frisco train carrying more than fifty prominent St. Louis business executives will halt in Jackson, Cape Girardeau, Skeston, Hayti, Kennett, Caruthersville, Steel, Blytheville, Leachville, Jonesboro, Paragould, Reelfoot, Piggott, Malden, Poplar Bluff, and Dexter.

The delegation will be ended by Joseph E. Zipt, district manager of the General Foods Sales Corporation and president of the St. Louis chamber's sales managers' bureau, and H. H. Droste, vice-president of the James H. Forbes Tea and Coffee Company and chairman of the good will committee. The men will return to St. Louis October 28.

LAIR STORE NEWS

"That Interesting Store"

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

Our 39th Year in Southeast Missouri

"ADITORIAL"

Good news about home furnishings is showing up daily.

The Industry seems to be coming into its own again.

Slowly but steadily families are becoming furniture minded.

They are beginning to realize that HOME SHOULD COME FIRST.

Big men of the business tell me that retailers of furniture are now at the forks of the road, so to speak—that there are two courses open—the forward and upward road requiring increased thought and work-fresh energy—new ideas—maybe some new blood—a route that at times may be difficult to travel—but always the goal of success is in sight.

The other way is wide open—easy to travel and crowded with traffic. It's the path of little effort—do nothing habits and lax ambition—a policy of sitting and waiting for something to happen. Drones—fossils and complainers take that route and you have probably observed that in due time something does really happen to that class of merchants.

Our store subscribes heartily to the progressive program and proposes to fight out of date methods every inch of the way—using carefully selected—modern—attractive merchandise at fair prices along with good service and straight shooting as our chief ammunition.

We submit this platform of merchandising to the buying public and on that basis solicit the furniture patronage of all, rich, poor, black and white.

Incidentally, this October promises to break our sales record of any October since we have been in Skeston. I've an idea that our business platform has had something to do with it.

Sincere thanks to those who helped.

HELEN JOHNSON ATTENDS MISSISSIPPI B. S. U. MEET

Blue Mountain, Miss., October 9.—Miss Mary Helen Johnson of Skeston was one of the delegates from Blue Mountain College Baptist Student Union to the State B. S. U. convention, which was held at Mississippi State College, Starkville, October 16-18. Fifty delegates from Blue Mountain College attended the convention.

SEN BENNETT CLARK TO SPEAK HERE NEXT WEEK

Senator Bennett Champ Clark of St. Louis will speak at a large Democratic rally here either October 26 or 27, Otto Schoen, chairman of the Scott county Democratic committee, announced Monday.

Senator Clark will address Democrats in railroad park at a time to be fixed later this week. It is understood he will devote part of his speech to an explanation of the government's social security act.

JOE DOVER'S FOOTBALL PLAYING WINS MENTION

A dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat Saturday morning gave favorable mention to Joe Dover, who is a freshman at Central College in Fayette this year and a member of the football team.

Speaking of Central's chances of winning its first M. C. A. U. game at Tarkio Saturday, the dispatch said: "Hopes for improvement in the team were heightened, however, by the showing of new men in the Eagles' (Central's) game with Maryville last week end. Joseph Dover, Skeston, freshman center, also played most of the game."

Tarkio won 19 to 14.

NAZARENE EVANGELIST TO TELL LIFE STORY TONIGHT

Rev. H. N. Dickerson of Ashland, Ky., who for the past several days has been conducting revival services in the Skeston Nazarene church, preached to a full house at both services Sunday, with 11 conversions. His subject for tonight (Monday) will be "From Race Track to Pulpit", and his sermon will be his life story. The public is cordially invited.

Out of City Guests at Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. B. L. McMullin entertained with a dinner Friday evening, for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knollman of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stafford and three small daughters of East St. Louis, Ill., Mrs. R. A. Davidson of St. Louis and Miss Beulah Martin of Los Angeles, Calif.

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FOOTBALL SCORES

Cape Central, 54; Poplar Bluff, 6.
Charleston, 19; Caruthersville, 0.
Perryville, 7; Chaffee, 6.
Dexter, 3; Matthews, 0.

Bankruptcy Case Discharged

James W. Stone's bankruptcy case was formally discharged in the Cape Girardeau federal court Friday, along with eighteen others.

FRATERNALS WITHDRAW FROM STATE CAMPAIGN

The Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri, organized early this fall to guard the interests of fraternal societies operating in the state, will take no further part in the campaign, Thomas

H. Cannon, chairman of the campaign committee of the national fraternal congress of America, has announced.

The association has withdrawn from the Missouri campaign because of "the favorable attitude publicly expressed by Honorable Jesse W. Barrett and Honorable Lloyd C. Stark," Cannon said.

The Fraternal Protective Association was organized as a result of Insurance Superintendent R. Emmett O'Malley's "attack" on the fraternal benefit system and the societies operating in Missouri. It was formed without "any partisan political motive."

Cannon said, and had as its only purpose effecting "the nomination of candidates for governor who would agree that in the event of their election they would use their influence to preserve and protect the Fraternal

Societies and the systems of laws relating thereto, that they would prevent the imposition of taxes upon the Fraternal Societies either by legislation or suits filed in the courts, and that they would not appoint to the office of Insurance Commissioner of the State of Missouri any person who is antagonistic or unfair to the Fraternal Societies or the Fraternal System of Laws, or who has indicated a willingness to collect from the Societies so-called back taxes or the collection of any such so-called taxes in the future."

Major Stark, against whom the fraternal society attack was chiefly directed, completely satisfied members with statements he made in public and at conferences with society representatives.

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U. S. Treasury receipts for the three months of the fiscal year started July 1 were up \$137,451,212 over the corresponding 1935 period. Receipts were listed at \$1,135,915,677 for the 1936 period and \$998,464,464 for the 1935 period.

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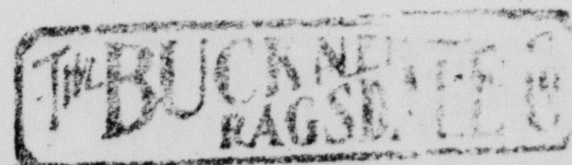
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By FRANCES PECK
Home Institute



FORMULA FOR FUN

FOR A SLICK bit of autumn entertainment, try a buffet bridge some evening soon. Your guests can serve their own plates from the dining table then trot off to card tables in the living room for the fun of eating informally.

On the dining table place glasses of chilled Tomato Juice and plates of crisp crackers. Arrange a cluster of cunning fat little brown bean pots brim-filled with Oven-Baked Beans, Boston Style, with a platter of baked ham and a bowl of cole slaw nearby on the table. Fresh Cucumber Pickle Slices and stuffed celery will add tart crisp touches of garnish to the plates. And do serve Boston brown bread with Currant Jelly to give an authentic finish to this first course. Apple pie with bits of bity cheese and a comforting cup of coffee may be dining room fare if you prefer.



QUICK COLE SLAW

Now the cole slaw is simple. Just shred about 4 cups of cabbage, then add 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons Pure Cider Vinegar, 1 green pepper, chopped, grating of onion juice and a dash of pepper. Sometimes for variation I like to use 1 tart red apple, diced in place of the green pepper. That gives a special party flare you might like to try here. Mix all the ingredients thoroughly.

PATRICIAN PIE

I wonder, do you have a good recipe for apple pie? Every lady is supposed to have one handed down from the generations of genteel folk

behind her. But they seldom do nowadays. Anyway, here's one with impeccable antecedents. Perhaps you'd like to make it the mainstay of your dessert file. Apple pie (one double crust): Mix 2 cups of flour with 1/2 teaspoon salt. Add 1/4 cup lard, thoroughly chilled, and cut the fat into the flour, using two knives or the tips of your fingers. It's quite easy once you get on to the trick. Do this lightly and deftly so the fat does not melt into the flour. When the fat and flour are blended to pieces the size of peas, gradually add enough cold water to make a stiff smooth dough. Three to four



tablespoons will do the trick. Cover and pop into the refrigerator to chill for an hour before rolling, if possible. In the meantime, pare 5 to 6 tart apples, core and cut into slices—about sixteenths. Place apple slices in a bowl and add to them 1/2 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon or nutmeg, and 1 teaspoon lemon juice. There you have a goodly array of flavors. Then divide the pastry in half, place one-half on a slightly floured molding surface, pat the pastry lightly, then roll out to 1/4 inch in thickness, and a little larger than the pie pan. Fold the sheet of pastry in half and place in a 9-inch pie plate, then unfold pastry. Press lightly to fit plate, and trim edges. Place apples in the pie shell and dot over with 1 teaspoon butter. Roll upper crust to 1/4 inch in thickness and 1 inch larger than plate. Fold in half and make 3 slits, 1/2 inch in length, in center edge of folded side. Moisten edge of lower crust with a little water and place upper crust in position, and trim, leaving 1 inch on all sides. Carefully fold and press down upper crust under lower crust all around the edge. Finish by making a crinkled edge with the finger tips or by marking with the tines of a fork. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) for 15 minutes, then reduce heat to 400° F. and bake until apples are tender—about 45 minutes in all.

FRATERNALS CALL OFF THEIR FIGHT ON ELECTION OF STARK

Jefferson City, Mo., October 17.—A copy of the circular letter, which is being sent out to the members of all fraternal insurance societies of Missouri, calling off the fight on Maj. Lloyd C. Stark, Democratic candidate for Governor, was made public at Democratic state headquarters here today.

The letter, which is signed by C. F. Wescoat, president of the Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri, which was organized to oppose Stark during the primary campaign, because of his refusal to promise not to reappoint R. Emmet O'Malley, Superintendent of Insurance, and the executive officers of the individual societies, states "there is no longer any need for participating in the current campaign," and leaves the policy holders and members of fraternal societies free to support Stark or his Republican opponent, Jesse W. Barrett, as their personal preferences may indicate.

Text of Letter

"Dear Sir and Friend: "On account of an attack that was made upon the fraternal benefit system and the societies operating in the State of Missouri by R. Emmet O'Malley, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Missouri, the fraternal benefit societies operating in Missouri, for their protection and without any partisan political motive whatever, set up an organization under the name of the Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri, the purpose of which was to bring about the nomination of candidates for Governor, who would agree that in the event of their election they would use their influence to preserve and protect the fraternal societies and the system of laws relating thereto, that they would prevent the imposition of taxes upon the fraternal societies either by legislation or suits filed in the courts, and that they would not appoint to the office of Insurance Commissioner any person who is antagonistic or unfair to the fraternal societies or the fraternal system of laws or who has indicated a willingness to collect from the societies so-called back taxes or the collection of any such so-called taxes in the future.

"In view of the favorable attitude publicly expressed of Hon. Jesse W. Barrett and Hon. Lloyd C. Stark, the fraternal societies feel that there is no longer any need for their participating in the current campaign, and accordingly, no further action will be taken in connection therewith by the Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri or the fraternal societies operating in Missouri.

"Fraternally yours,
"C. F. WESCOAT,
"General Counsel."

The Wescoat letter was sent to the members of the organization that participated in the primary campaign fight.

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PARTY FOR TEACHERS IS WELL ATTENDED

A large crowd of fathers and mothers accepted the invitation of P.-T. A. unit to come out and become better acquainted with the teachers at a social meeting in the high school auditorium Thursday night.

Music by the high school orchestra, with Reid Jann conducting, opened the meeting. Following this, parents, teachers, and board members visited informally while the orchestra members were served refreshments. After this the group was seated again and Lee Bowman, chairman of the board of education, introduced members of the board who were present and Superintendent Roy V. Ellis introduced the teachers. A brief statement of the object of the P.-T. A. was made by the chairman and then the report of the nominating committee was made by Mrs. T. A. Roberts and accepted unanimously.

Officers elected were as follows: President, Mrs. T. A. Martin; first vice-president, Mrs. Josephine Veith; second vice-president, Mrs. A. W. Swacker; secretary, Mrs. C. H. Butler; and treasurer, Mrs. C. D. Matthews, III.

After the meeting, doughnuts and grape juice were served.

Mrs. Erma Turner was the honored guest at a birthday dinner Sunday given by her daughters, Mrs. George T. Johnson and Miss Doodle Turner. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and daughter Martha Jane, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McGilvary, Mrs. Chas. White and sons, Tom, Jack, and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hurt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGilvary and son James of California, Mrs. George Johnson and daughter Betty Ann and son Gene and the hostesses.

Mrs. Guy Morton and son, Jim, Mrs. R. C. Montgomery and Mrs. Nellie Stallings of Marianna, Ark., and Mrs. C. M. McWilliams of Jackson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Shell, Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Schreff was a week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wayne De Lisle in Portageville. Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Schreff and daughters spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. DeLisles and were accompanied home that evening by Mrs. Schreff.

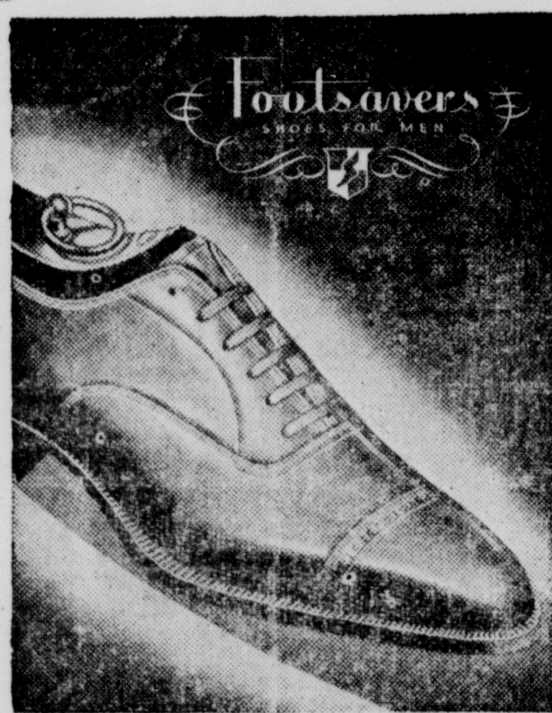
Mr. and Mrs. Will McGilvary and son James, of Crescent City, Calif., arrived Friday night for a three weeks visit here with their parents.

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SIKESTON, MO.

Ask for Poll Parrot Money

RECOVERY NOTES

(Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.)

Nearly 5,000,000 more pair of shoes were manufactured in the United States in August than in July, the Census Bureau reports. During the month the country's 978 factories produced 40,068,584 pairs as compared with 35,209,500 in the previous month.

September proved a record-breaking business month. Sales of F. W. Woolworth Co., totaled \$23,433,705, the largest for any September in its history and a gain of 15.76 per cent over the same 1935 month. S. S. Kresge Co., sales amounted to \$11,752,862, compared with \$10,147,936 in September, 1935, an increase of 15.8 per cent. J. J. Newberry Co., sales increased 16.6 per cent to \$3,873,604; G. C. Murphy Co., sales 23.6 per cent to \$2,907,459, and Western Auto Supply sales 53.2 per cent to \$2,265,000.

In contrast to 1935, increasing industrial production this year has been accompanied by a sharp upturn in commercial borrowing, says the weekly letter of the Administrative and Research Corporation of New York. Volume of commercial loans has increased 14.1% and is, at present, at the highest level since early 1933.

Electric power production for the week ending September 26 was 16.1 per cent above the corresponding 1935 period, reports the Associated Press. Actual production was 2,157,278,000 kilowatt hours, all major geographical regions reporting gains over last year.

The National Lumber Manufacturers' Association reports lumber shipments during the week ending September 28 were the heaviest of any week to date in 1936. Shipments for the period totaled 265,871,000 feet. Production, with 569 mills reporting, amounted to 251,939,000 feet.

Bonds on the New York Stock Exchange gained nearly a billion dollars in par value and more than that amount in market value during September. On October 1 bonds listed on the exchange had a par value of \$45,210,851,030 and a market value of \$43,305,464,747. This compares with a September 1 par value of \$44,279,021,992 and a market value of \$42,235,760,556.

Members of the Croquet club enjoyed a weiner roast Saturday evening on the club court at the Chris Francis home on North New Madrid Street.

CHANGES IN SOIL ACT URGED BY FARMERS

Camruthersville, Mo., Oct. 16.—Pemisot County farmers recommended five changes to the State Committee in the 1937 soil program at a series of community meetings conducted recently. They are:

That the base of 1937 be a certain percentage of crop land for each and every farm in the county; That no deduction be made for planting enough corn to supply feed for the farm, provided corn and not sold through livestock; That soy beans in corn be given a 50 per cent credit as a soil conservation crop, provided beans were pastured or disced under;

That no maximum soil building payment be fixed, but payment be made for all that was earned; That the soil building payments be materially increased.

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Announcement

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J. R. Harwell

Del Rey Hotel Bldg.

Sikeston, Mo.



A large land owner in this vicinity, who is a Republican, states that he has fared better with his farms this year than in many years past, and still we suppose he will step up and vote for Landon for President.

Mrs. E. D. Preston, of Chaffee, secretary of the Scott County Old Age Assistance Board wishes the address of Martha Isobel Harris, who formerly gave her address as 203 North Frisco street, Sikeston, Mo. This in connection with the perfecting of her application for old age assistance.

What a flapper gets for nothing in a rumble seat costs an old maid five dollars at the chiropractors.

Recently we gave a summary of the speech that Jesse Barrett would probably deliver at Sikeston Saturday afternoon, and we now say that we missed it a mile. He had but one subject and that was Pendergast. He had no platform except one of revenge and he will lose on that.

The rattling of bones at the Jesse Barrett speaking in the Railroad Park Saturday afternoon were not the bones of Abraham Lincoln, but the bones of Jesse Barrett's father, who was a Democrat, and couldn't rest in his tomb when his son had strayed away from his raising.

If we were a collector of curios, believe we would try hard to get a certain piece of currency that is really rare. It seems there are only 1,937 of those bills in circulation and very few if any folks in this vicinity have seen one, much less owned it. We refer to the \$10,000 bill, which in terms of the national budget is not so much, but in the idea of the average person is quite a lot. If any of our readers happen to have a bill of this denomination, we would greatly appreciate having him leave it at this office.—Shelbina Democrat.

The Tenth Congressional District of Missouri will give the State and National Democratic ticket from twenty to twenty-five thousand majority with Dunklin County leading with eight thousand. At this time conditions were never better for the farmer, laborer and merchant. Let well enough alone.

How any man or woman drawing old age assistance in the sewing and weaving rooms, on any of the WPA projects, can vote against the State and National Democratic ticket is beyond belief. They don't have to change their politics but they can vote for those who made it possible for them to buy food and fuel.

In this twenty-three years we have been publishing The Standard the queerest request that has come to us was to use our influence with the City Council to have them do away with the great army of long tailed rats that patrol the alleys back of the stores in the main section of Sikeston.

It is very pleasant to be remembered by friends. And this time the friends who remembered the editor with a large box of ripe persimmons were those in the weaving room. A neat folder with the names of all twenty-one employees accompanied the gift. We thank you ladies.

Thursday evening of last week was a "red letter day" so to speak, with local Mason. On this occasion more than one hundred of the brethren gathered together to honor the past masters of Sikeston Lodge No. 219. Not only was it an enjoyable lodge meeting, but the banquet following served by the Ladies of the Eastern Star Lodge was a treat for the inner man that will long be remembered. Sikeston Masonic Lodge is in a flourishing condition and it was very pleasing to old grey heads present to see the many fine young men who have become members in recent months.

Sikeston merchants have some queer experiences. A young mother called for \$1.00 worth of diapers and when the package was handed her the clerk said and one cent for tax. The customer informed the clerk that she didn't use tax, she used safety pins.

The Revival now in progress at the Rootwad church will continue through this week. Much interest is being manifested. The public is invited.

Democrats Hold Meeting
Members of Democratic county committees in the 10th Congressional district held a meeting in Cape Girardeau Thursday afternoon. Hon. Jas. P. Aylward, Hon. Richard R. Nacy, A. J. Murphy and other leading democrats of Jefferson City and Mrs. Mary E. Rider of St. Louis attended the meeting and made interesting addresses.

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Jesse Barrett Attacks Pendergast In Talk Here

Jesse W. Barrett told Sikeston Republicans Saturday afternoon that "Democrats will get their party back when I'm elected governor."

"I'm going to break and smash the Pendergast machine to smithereens by providing honest, clean elections all over the state," he said, "and I'm going to take the Pendergast machine by the back of the neck and throw them out of the capitol building." And if voters will give him a Republican ticket, particularly an attorney-general to prosecute cases, Barrett said, he will send machine workers to the penitentiary and return the capitol to Jefferson City from Kansas City, where he said Pendergast holds the Democratic party captive.

Barrett said Pendergastism has changed his campaign this year from an ordinary one to a "crusade against the Kansas City machine" and warned that in four years Pendergast will control the entire state if his power isn't broken now.

Barrett predicted a Republican majority of between 25,000 and 50,000 in St. Louis, which he said would have an honest election "for the first time in three or four years," and of 150,000 in rural areas, where Republicans, independents, and Democrats who place "principle above partisanship" will unite, and said that "after the Pendergast machine has stolen and bought all the votes it can we'll have a 100,000 majority." His prediction was based on "every sign I can get this year" during tours over the state, he said, adding that numerous Democrats told him they would vote the Republican ticket because they have "no place else to go."

After dismissing Major Lloyd C. Stark's charge of increased taxation under a Republican state administration in 1921 with fig-

ures purportedly showing taxes were reduced more than a third, jesting at Stark's plea to vote the Democratic ticket "because we're on the verge of war," and referring to Stark's refusal to debate state issues with him, Barrett devoted his talk to an attack on Pendergast. He charged 38,000 votes were cast for Stark, 27 for Hirth, and 3000 for himself in the primary election in two north side Kansas City wards, where only 38,000 men, women and children live. "Everybody knows the votes were stolen," he said. "When I asked Stark to help me get the federal government to send G-men to Kansas City to clean up election frauds, Stark replied it would blacken the name of Missouri. Then I wrote Stark to help me get Governor Park to act. I've had no reply to that letter."

Barrett said many might think a fraudulent vote of 60,000 was unimportant, but when the "good people" split votes so that each county had a majority of only about 500, it was enough to overpower the entire state vote. "Kansas Citizens have lost their right of self-government and are disfranchised," he said, just as are some people in Dunklin and Pemiscot counties, where he said he had heard negroes are run away from the polls.

Pendergastism is a racket, he charged, and the machine collects so much money from businesses and crime that the bosses have become the most wealthy people in the state. "I'm fighting for the state, for right, and for clean government," he said in closing.

The high school band played, and before Barrett was introduced by R. E. Bailey, George W. Kirk introduced C. E. Clowe of Dexter, a Republican nominee for state senator, and Linder Diekmund of Cape Girardeau, the party's nominee for tenth district congressman.

79 Former Bulldogs at Homecoming Game

Seventy-nine former Bulldogs registered at the H. & L. drug store last week for passes to the homecoming game with the Jackson Indians Friday night. Former lettermen were guests of the school at the game. These men registered:

Pleas Malcolm, Buck Hessling, Vernon Jones, C. W. Limbaugh, Ichy Arthur, D. L. Bloomfield, Roger A. Bailey, H. C. Bennett, Joseph L. Matthews, Ralph Baker, Mort Griffith, Bill Baker, A. B. Moll, Sam S. Bowman, Robley Lennox, Old Pappy Marshall, Kemper Bruton.

G. M. Greer, Gene Aufdenberg, Charles Pinnell, Ben F. Carroll, Jr., Ben Sells, Jr., Byron Boyer, W. B. Malone, Luke Reed, A. L. Hayden, W. K. Sikes, Albert Hunter, III, Dave Keasler, Hubert Keasler, Allan Lee Swain, Clay

Mitchell, Jr., Clem Marshall, Jr., Willard F. Mount, Ross D. Killgore, Lee Bowman, Harrison Tanner, Dick Swaim, Kelly D. Humes, J. M. Law, Loomis F. Mayfield, Walter Ansell, Johnny Leach, Billy Fox, Buddy Throver, Jack Lancaster, Shirley Bloomfield, Tom Lancaster, Conn Armour.

N. D. Korneger, Guts Watson, Buddy Lunkord, C. W. McKamey, Leo Cunningham, Woodrow Fitzgerald, Bill Shain, Paul Crain, Bernard Crain, Harold Pitman, Frank S. Miller, Henry Bennett, Clarence Dowdy, Smoky Sutton, Lynn Swain, Bruce L. Lewis, James Marshall.

Thomas Middleton, W. O. Johnson, Elmer E. Grant, Gilbert H. Hopper, Warren York, Marvin Carroll, Harry Dover, Glenn Nicholson, Rex Joyce, Early Malcolm, Bill Littleton, Linn Smith, and Fred Boyer.

Dexter Public Schools

R. A. Harper, Superintendent

Dexter, Mo.

October 6, 1936

Mr. C. L. Blanton, Jr.

District WPA Director

Sikeston, Missouri

Dear Mr. Blanton:

At this time I want to express to you the thanks and gratitude of this school and community for your kind assistance in the splendid grading project that we have just completed here on the high school ground. We feel that the project is very much worth while and it has changed our play ground from a rolling hillside of waste to a modern play ground, every foot of which will be not only useful but beautiful as well.

Your local representative, Mr. Leon Groves, has been untiring in his efforts to see that the project was properly done. No doubt, Mr. Groves did extra work on his own time. He is capable and a good man to work with.

Everyone who looks at the grading project here is extremely proud of it, although in the beginning we had a few sceptics standing on the side lines but their criticism has been turned into praise after seeing the ultimate goal reached.

I am sure that I am speaking the sentiments of this entire community when I say we thank you and appreciate your efforts for our benefit.

Sincerely yours,
R. A. Harper
Supt. of Schools.

WPA WORKERS REPUBLICAN
I have been a Republican all my life, was raised by Republican parents. 2 years ago the 14 of

September my girl 14 years old fell and broke her leg and was taken to a local Hospital and treatment and was left a cripple for life went 3 months to school on crutches. Then President Roosevelt made it possible for her to be sent to St. Louis and be treated and there she received an operation and today she walks almost as good as any girl. Before sending her away they didn't ask me if I was a Democrat or a Republican. Last winter my husband and I were making mine props but not making a living; only making about 50 cents a day. My overall legs would be frozen stiff, then again they gave me work without asking me my politics and I have been working on the WPA ever since. If I had not got the work my children would have gone hungry. It is my belief that President Roosevelt has done more for the people than any President has ever done. I cannot thank him enough for what he has done for me and mine. If you have a good faithful horse, why trade him off for one we don't know anything about?

If other people appreciate President Roosevelt help as much as I do, he will be with us another 4 years.

s/d Myrtle Hayes
Broseley, Missouri
This letter was unsolicited by this office.

Mrs. Chas. Boyce will entertain the Wednesday afternoon bridge club this week, at her home on North Ranney.

George Kirk and daughter, Miss Gwendolyn and Mrs. L. B. Korneger visited Sunday with Mrs. Kirk who is a patient in St. Mary's hospital at Cairo.



Test of Cotton Picking Machine at Charleston

Charleston, Mo., Oct. 18.—After waiting two weeks for suitable weather, a test of the mechanical cotton picker designed by the Rust brothers of Memphis, was made here Friday. The picker had previously been tried in a cotton field near Sikeston, Mo., but did not damage immature bolls. It is claimed that the machine will pick about one acre per hour, at a cost of about 98 cents per acre.

The picker works similar to the corn harvester and corn picker. The machine straddles one row and is pulled by a tractor. As the picker moves along the cotton row, hundreds of wire spindles poke themselves through the

branches of the cotton plant, rotating at the speed of 2200 revolutions per minute. The spindles are moist and smooth and immediately upon touching the boll the cotton winds itself around the wires. The spindles travel on an endless belt, and after catching the cotton, travel through a groove which pulls the cotton off the end of the spindles. The cotton drops into a conveyor and is blown into a bag.

It was estimated at the demonstration that 60 to 80 per cent of the cotton was picked the first time over. The second trip over the cotton row yielded more cotton, but did not damage immature bolls. It is claimed that the machine will pick about one acre per hour, at a cost of about 98 cents per acre.

Indians Keep Record Clear With 20-0 Win

A smoothly functioning Jackson machine rolled out a 20 to 0 victory over the Bulldogs here Friday night to give the Indians their fourteenth straight win of two seasons, during which no opponent has scored against them.

Jackson scored in the first, third, and fourth quarters and seriously threatened Sikeston's goal several other times. Early in the first period, Jackson line plays and a pass took the Indians to the Sikeston 5-yard line. The Bulldogs recovered on a Jackson fumble, but Moore Greer's punt was blocked, and after one line plunge Milton Nordruff, the big Jackson end, had little difficulty in scoring. A kick for an extra point was good.

The Indians profited by a Sikeston fumble to score a second time in the third quarter. Getting the ball on the Sikeston 37-yard line, the Indians' M. Godwin muffed a 20-yard pass to Nordruff and the team marched down the field with short line plunges and a 20-yard pass to Nordruff, the big Jackson end, had little difficulty in scoring. A kick for an extra point was good.

Ed Cracraft, intercepting Rushing's pass on the Jackson 44-yard line, started the Indians to the goal again in the last quarter. Two passes of 15 yards each, Ed Cracraft to Nordruff, put the Indians on the Sikeston 25-yard line as the game ended.

Twice in the first quarter and once in the second, Moore Greer failed to receive Rushing's well-placed passes to an open field, and the Bulldogs did not rally until near the end of the second period, when, as Ed Cracraft, C. Davis, and Nordruff were making substantial gains, Moore Greer intercepted a Jackson pass on the Sikeston 20-yard line. In two successive plays, Mack Roberts and G. B. Greer made long gains to near the center of the field as the half ended.

Again, near the end of the third quarter, Moore Greer received on the Sikeston 15-yard line the Jackson kickoff that followed Sneathen's touchdown and return it to the 50-yard line. Roberts, G. B. Greer, and Moore Greer made a first down with short gains but at the Jackson 39-yard line, where the ball was at the beginning of the last quarter, the Bulldogs failed to break through the Jackson line and Rushing's pass to Moore Greer was too high so that Sikeston had to punt. After Jackson returned the punt to the Jackson 39-yard line, Rushing made a first down with a 10-yard gain. Just before the next play, however, the Sikeston center took his hands from the ball and Jackson touched it. The Indians then punted to the Sikeston 30-yard line, and soon afterward Ed Cracraft intercepted the Bulldog pass that paved the way for a third touchdown.

About 1500 attended the game. Next Friday night, accompanied by the high school band, the Bulldogs will play at Chaffee, which has beaten Dexter 13 to 7 and lost to Jackson 0 to 41 and to Kennett, 0 to 7. On October 30, they will play at Farmington, and on November 6 will be at home again for a game with Dexter.

ESCAPED REFORMATORY INMATE ARRESTED IN STOLEN CAR NEAR TOWN

Lee Marvin Beall, 15 years old, of Tulsa, Okla., was held for federal agents Saturday after Troopers Melvin Dace and Gordon B. Inglis found him driving a stolen car on Highway 61 north of town.

Beall took the patrolmen he escaped Wednesday from the national training school in Washington, where he was serving a term for violating the Dyer act, stole an automobile parked nearby, and started to drive home. Trooper Dace said the car belonged to Allison J. McKinley of Claremore, W. Va.

Secrets of the Russian spy system. More intimate revelations by Lydia Oswald, an exclusive feature of The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with Next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

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PWA Allotted County \$101,562 For Projects

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 19.—The federal government's allotments toward public works administration projects in Scott county, as of Oct. 10, last, totaled \$101,562 for non-federal public improvements, according to figures released by Robert K. Ryland, state director for the national emergency council.

Since the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works began functioning in August, 1933, to speed up employment and encourage national industrial recovery, PWA has allotted \$40,024,128 for 86 federal projects in Missouri, such as post offices, forestry, river control and airways. On these projects the national government pays all costs. In addition \$29,633,245 has been allotted toward 250 state, county, and municipal public improve-

ments, having a total estimated construction cost of \$82,471,766, the government's share being on a 30 per cent basis under the 1933 act and 45 per cent under the 1935 and 1936 programs.

Ryland listed non-federal projects in Scott county, their respective estimated construction costs, and the amount of the national government's allotment, as follows:

Waterworks, Oran, \$47,273—Federal grant, \$21,273, loan, \$26,000; auditorium gymnasium, Blodgett, \$16,181—grant, \$6,181, loan, \$7,700; school, Benton, \$32,727—grant, \$14,727, loan, \$17,600; school, Rockview, \$9,181—grant, \$8,681, loan, \$4500.

State projects: Penal and ellemosynary buildings, \$13,344,000—grant, \$3,778,000; highway improvements, \$3,551,800—grant \$1,026,000.

Nine Fined In Police Court for Drunkenness

Judge Brown Jewell fined nine persons brought into court Monday on charges of drunkenness, including one arrested for driving while under the influence of liquor.

The driver, Eddie Carr, a negro, was taken to court by Trooper Gordon B. Inglis and fined \$15 and sentenced to fifteen days in jail. The sentence was stayed on the payment of the fine and on the defendant's good behavior. Judge ordered Carr not to drive again until January 1.

Other police court defendants were: Clark Neal, negro, drunk, fined \$8, paid.

B. B. Scott, drunk and fighting in Frisco, fined \$12.

C. C. Ervin, drunk and disturbing the peace, fined \$12, paid.

G. M. D. Muryheid, drunk, fined \$8, paid.

Claude Lee, drunk and disturbing the peace, fined \$10 and costs, totaling \$17, committed to the streets.

Howard Lowe, Robert Williams, negro, and Willie Wilkerson, negro, drunk, fined \$10 each and committed to the streets.

Judge Jewell said Lee cursed Gid Daniels and W. A. Singleton when they arrested him Saturday night and then made such a great disturbance in jail that he had to be put in a cell.

He was not quiet until an hour later.

Three Killed When Car Hits Charleston Truck

Edward Fanger, 46-year-old farmer of near Festus, his son, James E. Fanger, 18, and a daughter, Doris LaVerne Fanger, 6, were killed and three other members of his family were injured Sunday morning when the Fanger car sideswiped a truck driven by Frank Pruett, 44, of Charleston, and then turned over.

Another son, William Fanger, 16, was taken to a St. Louis hos-

pital with a possible fractured skull, and Mrs. Fanger, 46, and another daughter, Lola, 12, suffered bruises and lacerations.

The accident happened on a curve on Highway 61.

The Fangers were returning home from a dance and Pruett was on his way to St. Louis with a load of feed.

Pruett was not hurt. A coroner's jury decided the accident was unavoidable.

E. H. Orear Returns as M. E. Church Minister

The Rev. E. H. Orear was re-appointed pastor of the Sikeston Methodist church Sunday at the closing session of an annual St. Louis conference in Farmington.

Mr. Orear will begin serving his fifth year as minister of the Sikeston church. Other re-appointments announced Sunday night included the Rev. Mr. Thymorton to the Charleston church and the Rev. C. H. Daugherty to the Cape Girardeau church.

Bishop John M. Moore of Dallas, Texas, preached at the closing session on religion and government as the world's two greatest forces.

The Rev. Dawson C. Bryan was reappointed presiding elder of the Cape Girardeau district, as were all other elders in the conference. The Rev. J. C. Montgomery was returned to New McKendree church at Jackson. The Rev. Leo Willard, pastor at Oak Ridge four years, was sent to the Blodgett-Bertrand circuit, and the Rev. R. A. Brooks of Cape Girardeau, formerly of the Whitewater circuit, was sent to Oak Ridge.

Mr. Willard succeeds the Rev. C. P. Kirkendall, who will be pastor at New Madrid.

The Rev. Marvin Niblack, pastor at Bell City last year, will succeed the Rev. David T. Morrison at East Prairie. Mr. Morrison was transferred to New London, Mo. The Rev. J. W. Ham of the Poplar Bluff district will be minister of the Lilbourn circuit, and the Rev. Nelson Morgan will have charge of the Mattemorey circuit. He formerly preached in the McLain's Chapel circuit.

The Rev. T. G. Craft will go from Malden to Portageville, succeeding the Rev. O. A. Bowers, who was sent to Eureka. The Rev. Herschel Yates of Matthews was sent to Mokane, in the Missouri conference, and the Rev. P. A. Kasey will go from Clayton to Malden. Mr. Kasey formerly was pastor at Charleston.

The Rev. W. T. Holley of New Madrid was transferred to Patton, and the Rev. L. J. Collins will come from West Plains to succeed

Mr. Brooks at Whitewater. The Rev. B. W. Johnson of the Farmington district will serve at McLain's Chapel.

Other pastors were returned, including J. T. Evans at Benton; B. F. Teague at Chaffee; Fred Woods, supply at Commerce; H. S. Holley at Farmington; H. E. Ryan at Illinois; W. A. Fulbright at Morehouse; J. W. Allen, supply for Morley and Vanduser; and Jesse M. Layton, at Oran.

Dr. W. W. Parker of the Cape Girardeau teachers' college was elected conference lay leader, succeeding Rush H. Limbaugh. The 1937 conference will be held in Cape Girardeau.

FIVE WELL-KNOWN MEN IN WRESTLE ROYAL HERE

Five men well known to fans will appear in a wrestle royal at the armory Wednesday night.

Mike Meroney will put in the ring Lon Chaney, who hasn't been here for many weeks; Ole Olsen; Rex Mobley; Billy McEun; and Johnny Larue, the Masked Marvel.

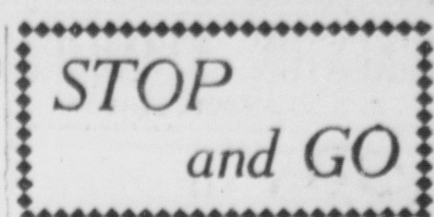
The first two men eliminated will return for a thirty-minute match, and the last two downed in the wrestle royal will stage a ninety-minute match. One woman will be admitted free with each paid adult ticket.

FORMER LEGION HEAD TO SPEAK ON RADIO TONIGHT

Colonel Louis Johnson, past national commander of the American Legion and now chairman of the veterans' advisory committee of the Democratic national committee, will speak on a special broadcast from 9 until 9:30 central standard time this (Tuesday) evening over the National Broadcasting Company's blue network.

The program may be heard over several stations, including KWK in St. Louis.

Dr. H. L. Smith and J. L. Tanner left Sunday for a camping trip on St. Francis river.



By Kemper Bruton

My hat goes off to Aldermen Rafferty, Waggoner, Forrester and Zacher. These four gentlemen who were placed in public office to do the things that are right regarding the city's policies did just that. They deserve the commendation that I am herein trying to give them. Wednesday night of last week was set as the night for a special council session to eliminate some of the hazardous conditions that exist in our city. The four gentlemen named above and the other Alderman from Ward 4 saw fit to fulfill their duty to the taxpayers and attended the meeting. One of the remaining three aldermen went to the wrestling match; another waited outside until the meeting was adjourned and then expressed his disapproval of the measures that were up for discussion. The third member has not been seen but what business should necessitate his being absent at a time so important? Even the fact that he was out of the city did not deter him from the right and power to express his opinion on the matter to other council members before he left. Or maybe he did. The result of the meeting was that only four members were present that were wholeheartedly in favor of the measures. It requires a quorum of five members to pass an issue.

The Mayor and the City Attorney, together with the City Police, are greatly in favor of the legislation proposed to eliminate double and angle parking on our streets. The Traffic Planning Board, composed of representatives of the city's civic groups as well as the City Government, met last Monday night and drew up the proposed legislation. Yet, in the face of such a demand from the citizens of the town, some of our own city councilmen were so indifferent to the matter as to purposely remain away from the meeting. And one of the Aldermen expressed himself that he would rather provide parking space for several additional automobiles than to provide safety for the pedestrians and drivers on our streets.

Now, the Council will assemble in special session again tonight to further discuss this business. It remains to be seen whether or not the aldermen who have shown such indifference to the corrections of the hazardous conditions that exist in the city will come to that meeting and answer AYE to the question!

Citizens of Sikeston, may I be so bold as to ask this question—will we, at the next city election, elect to the City Council men who are not willing to do everything possible to make Sikeston the metropolis that it is destined to be?

We feel as a City that we are as progressive as Cape Girardeau and Poplar Bluff. We hear traveling men tell us that we are doing more business than either of these towns. We are told that we will have a population of over 10,000 within the next few years and the increase in the past few years makes this highly possible. We know these things and in the face of them we are contented to continue under small town rule and leadership.

The fact that parking has been changed many times in the past does not mean that that situation will come to pass again in the future. Angle parking is dangerous and must be eliminated forever. And now is the proper time to eliminate it.

Fellow townsmen! Are you with me?

And, as the drive to make Sikeston a safe city in which to ride and walk has started, it might be well for some of our feminine drivers as well as some of the opposite sex to practice the art of parking parallel. And afterwards that has been mastered it might be well for them to try the old fashioned method of walking three blocks to get to their destination.

A. J. CRAIG FOUND GUILTY ON BAD CHECK CHARGE

A justice court jury found A. J. Craig guilty Thursday afternoon of issuing a worthless \$15 check at Graber's last summer and fixed his punishment at \$1 fine and costs.

Jurors also stipulated that Craig was to make restitution to Graber's, where in July 31 he paid for purchases of \$9 with a \$15 check.

Craig has been free on a \$100 bond since his arrest. The case was heard in Judge Joseph W. Myers' court. Members of the jury were James Matthews, Joe Sidwell, Barney Forrester, W. C. Bills, J. H. Andres, and W. P. Lindley.

Prosecuting Attorney W. P. Wilkerson dismissed for lack of prosecution bad check cases filed by Gately's of Cape Girardeau against Ervin Conrad and Odus Goodwin.

DINNER FOR FRIENDS

Shad Old was host to twelve of his friends Friday evening at a dinner, after which the boys attended the football game. The guests were: Bobby Montgomery, John Russell Felker, Art Swacker, Billy Wright, Lee Austin, Bowman, Loomis Mayfield, Jr., Jean Kline, David Lumsden, Jr., Ben Bowman, Doyle Heath, Dick Tomgate and Bud Latham.

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Really, we ought to tell this in the news columns, but on account of its political flavor, it might be well to put it here. A man, now living in Shelby, spent the summer in Iowa, traveling through 25 towns, his business requiring him to spend at least three days in each. He says that the farmers of Iowa are overwhelmingly behind Roosevelt for re-election, in spite of the Literary Digest and special writers of metropolitan papers. Not only are they going to vote for Roosevelt, he says, but they are going to the stores where they do their trading and telling their merchants to support Roosevelt or lose their farmer business. This man has no doubt of Iowa's being safely on the Roosevelt side.—Shelby Democrat.

Three small boys were each wearing a sunflower and when asked if they knew it was a Landon badge they said they did, then asked why they were for Landon for President, they said he was for closing the schools, and so were they. And there you are.

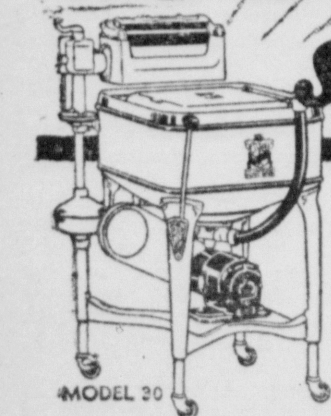
Headline in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat informs the public that "Bette Davis 'Chattel' in Producers' Hands." And there you are.

It will be sad news to boarding house keepers throughout the land when they learn the prune crop has been cut to 182,000 tons by early frosts.

Wallace Crossley, state relief administrator, announced today that more than 5000 Missouri youths had been enrolled in the junior CCC camps during the first two weeks in October. The boys came from relief families and from farm families stricken by the drouth, he said.

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Personal and Society News From Oran

(From Last Week)
Mrs. Rockett and Mrs. Engle went to Cape Girardeau Saturday where they took the bus for St. Louis for a visit with their daughters.

Mrs. Claude O'Connor of Sikeston spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Myers. Mrs. Myers accompanied her home Sunday night and spent Monday in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sikes and son Cecil of Bonne Terre and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Counts of Esther visited at the Dolph Sikes and Chas. Carter homes last week. Mr. and Mrs. Sikes and children and John Gosche accompanied them to Bonne Terre Saturday to be present at the wedding of Mr. Sikes' brother Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tenkhoff and son Caleb and W. A. Poe left Thursday for their homes in Long Beach, Calif.

Harry Womack had business in Cape Girardeau, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, son Cline, daughter Patricia of Cape Girardeau and Miss Burke of Vanduser visited Sunday afternoon at the Chas. Carter and W. B. Dillingham homes.

Mrs. Powell Marshall returned to her home in St. Louis Monday after a week's visit at the home of her brother, Louis Mitchell and family. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haw in Malden.

Mrs. Cuba Burkhardt spent a few days last week in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Holloway of near Marked Tree, Ark., were here a few hours Saturday at the Chas. Oliver home. They were former residents of the Hooe district.

Earl Watkins came home last week from a Cape Girardeau hospital where he has been for medical treatment.

Rev. Jesse Layton will attend the annual Methodist conference in Farmington this week. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Alftultis and children came down from Farmington to spend the week end.

Miss Madge Mason came up from Sikeston to spend the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Van Lear and daughter of Leadwood spent the week end with Mrs. Van Lear's mother, Mrs. Howard.

Miss Estelle Query of Cape Girardeau has been visiting old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Furness have purchased and moved into the Mrs. Walter's property.

Mrs. Hazel McGinnis and Mrs. Flora Tindal were in Delta Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitledge and children of Cape Girardeau visited at the Dr. Winters home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bryeans entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday night. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Ewin Reisenbichler, Miss Elsie Berk, Earl Tibbs and John Wagoner of Jackson and Miss Louanna Fulenwider. The Halloween spirit was carried out in the decorations and a pleasant evening spent at cards.

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Personal and Society News from Pleasant Valley

(From Last Week)
There was an attendance of 64 at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larcum had as their guests Saturday night and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker of Sikeston.

Mrs. C. I. Niswonger and children, Freda Mae and Loomis of near Millersville visited the former's sister and brother, Mrs. O. B. Allen and Mr. F. M. Hartle over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen had as their guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shelton, daughter, Vera, Mrs. C. I. Niswonger and children, Freda Mae, Rusby, and Loomis.

Vernon Shelton spent Sunday with Raymond Dame.

A two weeks revival meeting will begin Sunday night, Oct. 18 at the Pleasant Valley or better known as Boardman church. Rev. Colvin of the Charter Oak community will preach. He will be assisted by Rev. Asa of this community.

There will be services at the church Saturday night and Sunday morning. The pastor Rev. Asa, will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller and children Opal, Ogle, Robert, Rosella, and Warwick spent Sunday with the former's brother and family of Morley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wheelley spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Loyd Stanfill and family.

Personal And Society Items From Charleston

By Anne Latimer

Charleston, Oct. 16.—Seventeen members were in attendance at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon at the church. Mrs. J. C. McDowell served as chairman using as her topic, "Carrying of the Light", and she gave a World Wide Radio Broadcast from Charleston C. M. E. C. Station at the church. The program, which was very unusual and highly enjoyed by all in attendance consisted of a talk by Mrs. E. E. Bryant, representing "Brazil", Mrs. Harley Estes "Mexico", Mrs. John Turner "Africa", Mrs. Robert Fowlkes "China", and a musical program consisting of a vocal solo by Mrs. H. C. Ficklin, recitation solo by Mrs. Moffat Latimer, and vocal

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Mrs. Tua Gestring,
Mr. and Mrs. B. S. La Cour.

GOV. PARK TO SPEAK AT PARTY RALLY AT BENTON

Benton, Oct. 10.—Otto Schoen, chairman of the Scott County Democratic Committee, announced today upon his return from a conference in Kansas City that Gov. Guy B. Park would make an address here the night of Thursday, Oct. 29 at a Democratic rally. It is planned to make the rally one of the district-wide proportions. Mr. Schoen said. The meeting will be in the community building.

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Vanduser, Thursday, Oct. 22.

Commerce, Friday, Oct. 23.

Oran, Monday, Oct. 26.

Blodgett, Tuesday, Oct. 27.

Kelso, Wednesday, Oct. 28.

Morley, Thursday, Oct. 29.

Illmo, Friday, Oct. 30.

Fornfelt, Monday, Nov. 2.

Sikeston, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 4, 5 and 6.

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Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

(From Last Week)
Harvey Lee Hulton of East is visiting friends here.
David Reeves who has been in CCC camp in California for several months is now home.

Mesdames Dent Tanner and Sadie Broch visited friends in Oran Monday.
Lora May Maxwell, celebrated her 6th birthday Friday, Oct. 9th. Quite a lot of little folks were present and Miss Lora May received quite a lot of nice presents and all enjoyed delicious refreshments prepared by her mother, Mrs. Loren Maxwell.

Mrs. Marion Chambers and Grandma Benson visited the latter's son in a hospital in Cape Girardeau Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Robinson of Landers Ridge and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Proctor and son, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Height.

Mrs. Virginia Dalryple of Sikeston was Sunday guest of her grandmother Mary E. Smith.

Mrs. George Boone, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. L. O. Vick were business visitors in Sikeston Wednesday.

The woman's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of Mrs. Nora Spence Thursday, Oct. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. McColgan and children of Risco, were week end guests of Mrs. L. O. Vick as they were enroute home from visiting relatives and friends in Fairfield and Eldorado, Ill.

Mrs. Susie Walden visited friends here Thursday, Friday and Saturday as she was enroute to Farmington, from Lynchburg, Va., where she visited her sister whom she had not seen in nineteen years.

Rev. A. C. Sullivan has been unanimously called as pastor by the Baptist church at Miner.

Melvin Sullivan and wife and Russell Givens and Lorene Troxwell attended services at Miner Sunday at 11 o'clock and the latter couple were married at the close of the services by Rev. A. C. Sullivan. The writer wishes them a long and happy life.

Mrs. J. M. Brown enjoyed a surprise birthday dinner Friday, Oct. 9. Twenty-one friends and relatives brought baskets of good eats and all enjoyed the dinner given in honor of Count Julie's 85th birthday. Her daughter, Mrs. Mollie Tate of Jonesboro, Ark., was present. All departed late in the afternoon wishing her many more happy birthdays.

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Personal And Society News From Morley

(From Last Week)
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster and family visited at the home of Mrs. Alice Foster at Advance Sunday afternoon.

A house on the farm owned by West Bros. Amusement Co. 2 1/2 mile from town was burned early Tuesday morning. Bob Laughlin, the care taker, went to feed after lighting an oil stove to prepare his breakfast and upon his return found the house in flames. 2 trunks, a chum and a mattress were all that were saved.

Announcements were received here this week of the birth of a daughter, Sandra Janice, to Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Grant of Piedmont. Mr. Grant was a former teacher in the Morley school.

Mesdames Hal Boyce and Rex Boyce, Miss Elizabeth Emory of Sikeston and J. R. Lee Jr., were at Champaign, Ill., Saturday to see the football game between Illinois and Southern California. A nephew of Mrs. Hal Boyce is a member of the California squad.

Miss Ruby Hitt of Cape Girardeau spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lancaster and family moved to Morley last week from a farm near Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer and son, Clarence Aaron, were Sunday visitors at the Mrs. C. D. Harris home.

Mrs. Watson Mize of Sikeston was ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, a few days last week.

Mrs. Maud Daugherty is in St. Louis this week attending Grand Chapter of the O. E. S.

Mesdames W. R. McDonough, E. W. McDonough, Mary Earles and Lottie Leslie were visitors in Cape Girardeau Tuesday. The two former ladies visited with Miss Lucille McDonough on Tuesday, Capital enroute to New Orleans.

Mrs. Howard Gearhardt and little daughter of Salena returned to their home Saturday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Mize.

Mrs. J. M. Counts of Esther, Mrs. John Sikes of Boone Terre, Mrs. J. A. Sikes and Mrs. Chas. Carter of Oran were guests of Mrs. C. A. Stallings, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. H. F. Emerson returned home Friday from an executive meeting and a State Board meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's clubs held at Jefferson City and Fulton, Mo., respectively. Mrs. Emerson is corresponding secretary.

Miss Dorothy Rankin of Vanduser was a visitor at the homes of Mrs. Phoebe Black and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn over the week end.

Mrs. Emma Gross and grandnephew, Junior Gross, went to Kennett Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chester Dillon for two weeks.

Mesdames Ralph Vaughn, H. F. Emerson, Alford Bryant, Harris Foster and J. R. Lee expect to attend the 9th District convention of Women's Federated clubs at Caruthersville Thursday and Friday.

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Personal And Society News From Morley

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster and family visited at the home of Mrs. Alice Foster at Advance Sunday afternoon.

A house on the farm owned by West Bros. Amusement Co. 2 1/2 mile from town was burned early Tuesday morning. Bob Laughlin, the care taker, went to feed after lighting an oil stove to prepare his breakfast and upon his return found the house in flames. 2 trunks, a chum and a mattress were all that were saved.

Announcements were received here this week of the birth of a daughter, Sandra Janice, to Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Grant of Piedmont. Mr. Grant was a former teacher in the Morley school.

Mesdames Hal Boyce and Rex Boyce, Miss Elizabeth Emory of Sikeston and J. R. Lee Jr., were at Champaign, Ill., Saturday to see the football game between Illinois and Southern California. A nephew of Mrs. Hal Boyce is a member of the California squad.

Miss Ruby Hitt of Cape Girardeau spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lancaster and family moved to Morley last week from a farm near Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer and son, Clarence Aaron, were Sunday visitors at the Mrs. C. D. Harris home.

Mrs. Watson Mize of Sikeston was ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, a few days last week.

Mrs. Maud Daugherty is in St. Louis this week attending Grand Chapter of the O. E. S.

Mesdames W. R. McDonough, E. W. McDonough, Mary Earles and Lottie Leslie were visitors in Cape Girardeau Tuesday. The two former ladies visited with Miss Lucille McDonough on Tuesday, Capital enroute to New Orleans.

Mrs. Howard Gearhardt and little daughter of Salena returned to their home Saturday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Mize.

Mrs. J. M. Counts of Esther, Mrs. John Sikes of Boone Terre, Mrs. J. A. Sikes and Mrs. Chas. Carter of Oran were guests of Mrs. C. A. Stallings, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. H. F. Emerson returned home Friday from an executive meeting and a State Board meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's clubs held at Jefferson City and Fulton, Mo., respectively. Mrs. Emerson is corresponding secretary.

Miss Dorothy Rankin of Vanduser was a visitor at the homes of Mrs. Phoebe Black and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn over the week end.

Mrs. Emma Gross and grandnephew, Junior Gross, went to Kennett Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chester Dillon for two weeks.

Mesdames Ralph Vaughn, H. F. Emerson, Alford Bryant, Harris Foster and J. R. Lee expect to attend the 9th District convention of Women's Federated clubs at Caruthersville Thursday and Friday.

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UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

—by "Movie Spotlight"
MARY BRIAN WON
A BEAUTY CONTEST WITHOUT KNOWING SHE WAS ENTERED... A FRIEND HAD SENT IN HER PHOTOGRAPH.

WHEN NOT LOOKING FOR THE "KILLER AT LARGE" AT COLUMBIA RU/SELL HARDIE IS AN EXCELLENT TENNIS AND GOLF PLAYER, AND HOLDS SEVERAL SCHOLASTIC SWIMMING RECORDS.

UNDER THE BIG TOP! **THURSTON HALL** BEGAN HIS CAREER IN A TENT SHOW. AND **GEORGE M'KAY** WAS A CIRCUS RIDER AT THE AGE OF EIGHT.

BETTY COMPTON BEGAN HER THEATRICAL CAREER AS A DANCING VIOLINIST.

Out of town guests included Mesdames J. A. Cline, Leroy Poe, O. L. Jenkins, Anna Lucas, J. C. Sanders, George Rasmussen, L. P. Driscoll, Harry Gleason and Ella Steele of Oran and Mrs. Maggie Worth of Portageville.

A banquet was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star Tuesday night for a meeting of the Red & White managers and employees and wives of S. E. Mo., 37 plates were served.

A large crowd heard the speech of Congressman Orville Zimmerman at the Gym Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Renshaw Hale and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Dines Hale and family of Vanduser the last of the week.

The teacher had been giving a lesson on modern inventions to his class. "Can any of you boys," he said, "tell me of anything of importance which did not exist 50 years ago?"

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seat beside me, though there were 50 or more vacant seats in the smoker. He began to talk about the weather and other trifling matters, to all of which I agreed, not being in an argumentative mood. Then he turned to prohibition and I still agreed with him. At that point we were passing a pasture, with 50 or 60 head of cattle in it. He called my attention to the fact that one of the cattle had jumped the fence into a wheat field. I said: "Well, they ought to put a yoke on every one of these cattle". He looked surprised at that assertion and asked me why I would yoke all the cattle when there seemed to be only one breachy one. I said: "For the same reason that you want to put a yoke on every human being because there is about one in every 50 or 60 that is breachy and will 'jump the fence'". But I want to say that, if something is not done to curb the whiskey trade, the manufacturers of the liquor, the wholesalers and the retailers will, themselves, "kill the goose that is laying the golden eggs" for them now. If they cannot be satisfied with a reasonable, less destructive amount of trade, they will have none at all and will have only themselves to blame.

Nood Mainord has taken possession of his new barber shop, opposite the post office. He sold out and left here some time ago, but nobody can stay away from Libourn very long. They all come back.

It is rumored that the Nesselrodt-Campbell Gin Co., will erect a new brick building, opposite the post office, this fall or early next spring. These two boys, both home boys, seem to be making a success of the gin business. Last spring they found money with which to finance the operating expense of more than 500 farmers, who all are now doing their ginning at the N-C Gin and the boys are said to be making oodles of the wherewith to construe. Glad of it. They are said to contemplate using the new building for a commissary.

A number of our business men, who have been contributing liberally toward the expense of Trade Day, which is bringing so many shoppers to town every Saturday, are quite incensed at the way a local paper treats them. This paper publishes only the names of such donors to the Trade Day

fund, as seem to the publisher to be deserving. This shortsighted publisher (I came darn near calling him a man) seems to believe that he can force every business house in town to use his paper for advertising or spend money for job work, or vote the Republican ticket.

Only three more weeks to election, when President Roosevelt will be given permission to continue his noble work of bringing the country around the corner and into prosperous times. I told this to a Republican farmer the other day and he says: "Huh! You tellin' it?"

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for their kind sympathy and many words of consolation in this time of our very deep sorrow over the passing of our dear wife and daughter, Mrs. Lorene Parks. Especially do we thank the minister, the Rev. A. L. Shoemaker, for the message, the choir for the good songs and also the undertakers.

John Parks and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Counsel and family.

SUTTERFIELD WILL HEAD KIWANIS CLUB NEXT YEAR
J. A. Sutterfield was elected president of the Kiwanis club at a meeting Thursday night. He succeeds George W. Kirk, who as retiring president, will become a member of the board of directors.

R. T. Coucy was chosen vice-president and Earl Allen, treasurer. These men were elected directors: J. F. Cox, the Rev. E. H. Oren, Lennie M. Standley, F. E. Kevel, and Z. E. McAmis.

The new officers' terms will begin the first of next year.

Luther Baker's Father Dies
W. R. Baker, a retired farmer of Chillicothe and the father of Luther Baker of Sikeston, died suddenly Thursday after suffering a heart attack on a street in Campbell, where he went October 11 to visit another son, W. R. Baker, Jr. Funeral services were held Saturday, and burial was in Charleston. Mr. Baker was 76 years old. Besides his sons, he is survived by his wife.

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ONE MOMENT PLEASE

By Fay Kerr

I quote the following from E. Stanley Jones' article in the Sunday's Globe-Democrat: "As I sat down at the table for the first time at the beginning of a voyage, the ship's officer asked me what I had been doing in South Africa. When I told him I had been lecturing there he replied in a very blunt way: 'Well, it's a very serious thing to undertake to tell other people what to do.' 'Yes', I replied very slowly, 'it is, especially if you yourself are under obligations to act on what you are telling others.'"

Consistency! Oh, how we need it today. We need it in our homes, we need it in our Clubs, we need it in our Churches. Consistency means condition of standing or adhering together, or being fixed in union, as the parts of a body. Milton says, "the church of God, as meaning the whole consistence of orders and members." Bacon says, "Water, being divided, maketh many circles till it restore itself to the natural consistence."

It appears that the members of some of our Churches are more concerned with making many circles than with being a natural consistence. It seems that in a Church, Christ should be able to bring about a harmony of parts. There should be a consistency of opinions, consistency of conduct, consistency of character. When the church shows no consistency we can reach only one conclusion. Christ is not in that church.

Before I can sell you an ideal I must convince you that it is genuine and will really work. If I have faith enough in an ideal to recommend it to you I certainly ought to have faith enough in it to try it myself. Every member of any church has accepted some sort of religious ideal. He is under obligations to carry that ideal into every walk of life. People out of the church are constantly watching us and if our conduct is no different from theirs can we make them believe that we have anything they haven't? We moan about the condition of the world! We, the Christian people, are to blame for the present condition. Before we can lead the world to Christ we must convince the world that we know the way ourselves.

We are not only judged by our conduct but we are judged by our attitudes. Certain attitudes weak-

A MAIN COURSE MIRACLE



ROAST loin of pork and crispy-brown sweet potato pineapple puffs—how does that sound for an appetizing main course? It's a delightful treat for autumn appetites and, cooked by the modern electric range, it's simple and easy to make. The meat starts to bake in the unheated electric oven while the sweet potato puffs are fried in deep fat, heated by controlled electric heat. Little time and energy is required to prepare this all-important part of the meal. And the result—a tender, uniformly cooked roast and puffy sweet potato balls fried in even-temperated deep fat.

on the will and produce despair. These attitudes are false and have no place in the Christian life. They have a bad effect upon humanity. If I am a Christian I have faith in the wellspring of my own soul. I can not see the air, but I can feel it and do not doubt that it exists. I can not see or describe the force that I feel in my heart that sustains me and helps me go on from hour to hour and day to day. I have faith in that force. It created me. It is very real and personal to me. If I should lose this force, this personal consciousness of God, I don't know what I should do. It gives meaning and purpose to my life and without it I would be lost.

Anger, malice, the desire for vengeance, are poisons that we brew in our own hearts and they destroy the soul. I would not take poison unless I wanted to commit suicide. I do not desire to commit spiritual suicide therefore I have no place in my heart for malice or revenge. Such a desire would do me more harm than it could possibly do the other person, so I simply refuse to become perturbed over some things that cause other people to burn up so much energy.

I would be foolish not to dodge a falling tree that might mangle or destroy me. For the same reason I dodge or shun certain types of people that leave me feeling bruised and spent and in need of a mental renovation.

We need to develop and preserve our souls as well as our bodies. Perhaps the day will come when we will become soul-conscious. I hope that the great preaching now under way in this country will help to bring about that day.

PROMINENT EDUCATORS TO SPEAK AT TEACHERS' MEET

An impressive group of speakers headed by Admiral Richard E. Byrd, the noted Antarctic explorer, will address sessions of the Southeast Missouri Teachers' Association in Cape Girardeau Thursday and Friday.

Admiral Byrd will lecture and show motion pictures of his stay at the South Pole at a meeting Thursday afternoon for teachers, who will be admitted on their certificates of membership.

Other speakers will be Lloyd W. King, state superintendent of schools; Miss Charl Ormond Williams of Washington, field secretary of the National Education Association; John L. Bracken, superintendent of the Clayton, Mo., schools; Dr. C. E. Benson, chairman of New York University's department of educational psychology; Roscoe P. Williams, president of the Southern Illinois teachers' college at Carbondale; and Dr. John Ruff, professor of education at the University of Missouri.

Features of the convention will include presentation of a three-act play by the Flat River Junior College Wednesday evening; an all-Southeast Missouri high school chorus concert at 1:45 Friday afternoon; and an annual homecoming football game Friday night.

Sikeston's schools will be closed Thursday and Friday so that instructors may attend the sessions.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday. Glasses fitted. tf

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

National Capital Removal Convention Meets at St. Louis

On October 20, 1869, St. Louis, in gala convention attire, welcomed delegates from seventeen states and territories including Alaska, Alabama, Montana, Utah, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Missouri and Kentucky, to consider the question of the removal of the National Capital from Washington D. C. to the Mississippi valley. In the afternoon, at half past two o'clock, Mr. L. U. Shyrock, called the expectant delegates to order and announced the purpose of the Convention: to secure the removal of the National Capital from its location on the Potomac to the Banks of the Mississippi. Cheer after cheer arose from the delegates at the announcement from Mr. Shyrock.

St. Louis' aspiration to the location of the National Capital was an open secret. Since the brilliant prophecy of Henry Breckenridge in the early nineteenth century that the small village on the Mississippi would become the "Memphis of the American Nile," St. Louis had revealed in visions of greatness. The proposed State constitution of 1845 had offered territory near St. Louis "for the purpose of locating thereon the seat of the government of the United States."

Later, in 1852, the New York Buffalo Express invoked the aid of the press of the West and Southwest in urging the removal of the Capital to St. Louis. In 1868, Congressman C. A. Newcomb of Missouri had introduced a resolution into Congress proposing the removal of the National Capital to St. Louis county. Finally, Mr. L. U. Reavis, a St. Louisan, had conducted a vigorous campaign to secure the removal of the National Capital to St. Louis.

Yet the Capital Removal Convention was doomed to failure. Despite the assurance of the West that as surely "as the power of empire advanced Westward, the seat of empire must go with it," the Convention was in many respects a fiasco. For the West, united in the certainty of its power to remove the National Capital, was torn asunder on the question of location.

Surprisingly, the Chicago Tribune on July 7, 1869, three and a half months before the Convention, proposed in a lengthy editorial the removal of the Capital to St. Louis. "The arguments

founded on centrality of area and population which led a former generation to locate the Capital at Washington," stated the Tribune, "now prevail in favor of St. Louis." "The present public buildings at Washington," the Tribune went on to say, could be taken down "stone by stone" and re-erected in St. Louis. What was needed was "not discussion" but "speedy action."

Immediately, the subject was taken up by the national press from Washington D. C. to San Francisco and from Milwaukee to the Gulf. That the capital should be removed was the dictum of the entire West; St. Louis, in the general opinion, was the ideal location. Before the end of August, St. Louis, overriding all doubts as to the auspiciousness of calling a convention, issued its invitations to a National Capital Removal Convention. St. Louis, it was modestly stated, acted only "in the interests of the West."

No sooner, however, was the project of removal definitely launched than local rivalry and jealousy made of the West a "House Divided." "Let St. Louis talk less about the Capital and more about herself a market" was the thrust of the Kansas City Journal of Commerce. Chicago probably has a "private view of her own" was the opinion of the St. Joseph Herald. "The Tribune," said the Omaha Republican, "thinks that the legislation of Congress might interfere with the Chicago 'custom' of putting up 80 pounds of fish in a barrel where should be 100."

"We must go for Cincinnati," announced the Cincinnati Chronicle. "Keokuk... is upon the Mississippi and on the same side as St. Louis," pointed out the Keokuk Gate City. St. Louis was "badly sold," thought the Kansas City Bulletin referring to the Chicago "joke." The Indianapolis Journal thought Indianapolis "the very spot" for the location of the National Capital. The East sat back and watched the fun.

Forebodings overshadowed St. Louis by the time of the meeting of the Capital Removal Convention in October. In vain, judicious voices had sounded caution and delay in the calling of the Convention, pointing out the expense involved, the wisdom of awaiting the returns of the census of 1870 and, above all, the tactical error of calling a convention in St. Louis, a move which had every appearance of self-interest.

But the die was cast; on the nineteenth, the Missouri Republican philosophically announced: "Ready or unready, we must meet them in the spirit in which they come."

The next day, October 20, the Convention met for the first day of a three-day session. Eloquent oratory, resolutions, the usual "tour of the city," and a banquet were put through the paces of customary ritual. But the calling of the Convention had been both unwise and premature; zest was lacking on the part of its participants.

STATE ADDS \$2 TO OLD AGE CHECKS THIS MONTH

Kansas City, Oct. 15.—The 48,000 Missourians receiving old age pensions will find their October checks have been increased \$2. Allen M. Thompson, old age pension commissioner, announced here today. The increase has been made possible, he said, by a recent ruling of the comptroller general's office prohibiting back payments by the government of pensions, releasing funds from which the extra payments will be made.

FORMER REPUBLICAN OFFICIAL TO TALK HERE

Forrest A. Harness, a former United States district attorney, is scheduled to speak at a Republican rally here Wednesday afternoon during the course of a Southeast Missouri tour during the course of a Southeast Missouri tour during which he will also address audiences in Caruthersville, New Madrid, Jackson, Marble Hill, and Fredericktown.

Mr. Harness gained most prominence when he went to Greece and returned with Samuel Insull, the utilities magnate, for a trial. He later served as one of the prosecutors.

FINED \$10 FOR RIDING BICYCLE ON SIDEWALK

Judge Brown Jewell fined a negro \$10 Friday night for riding a bicycle on a sidewalk and issued a warning against both bicycle riding on walks and reckless driving.

"The city intends to stop these practices," Judge Jewell said, "any one brought into my court for reckless driving or riding wheels on sidewalks will be fined." Existing ordinances provide

penalties for violations. Riding his bicycle on a North Kingshighway walk Thursday night, Homer Lyons, the negro, knocked down J. W. Cox as Cox stepped from the Albritton funeral home door. Lyons was thrown from his wheel but got up and escaped. He was arrested the next evening. Judge Jewell fined him \$10.

James C. Eaton was fined \$10 Friday on a charge of being drunk.

The first full year since 1861 without a single national bank failure ended October 1, 1936. For the previous year there were 14 four failures. There are now 5384 national banks.

Local Man Wanted

Manufacturer, Well Rated, Wants

RELIABLE MAN

In Sikeston

To Handle Business Proven to be Profitable

No selling or canvassing. Good for \$25.00 a week to right man to start. Cash investment of \$750.00 required which is secured and returnable. References given and demanded. Address X, care of Standard, Sikeston.

CITY AUTOMOBILE LICENSE NOW DUE

All Auto Licenses issued by the City of Sikeston have expired October 14, 1936 and are of no further value, therefore it will be necessary to purchase new licenses covering period from

Oct. 14, 1936 to Oct. 14, 1937

It is against the City Ordinances for anyone residing within the City limits of Sikeston to operate a Motor vehicle after October 14, 1936 without these licenses. This is a general notice to all auto owners and should be given your prompt attention.

You Must Display Your City Auto License Tag

A. C. BARRETT, City Clerk.

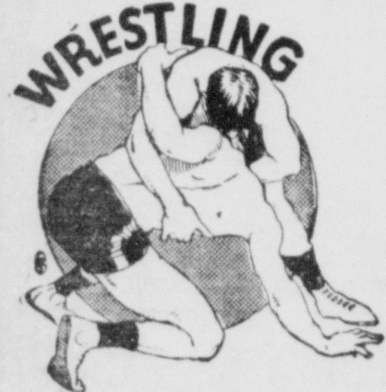
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Baby Chicks \$7.50 per 100; Week-Old Chicks \$9.00 per 100—No delay. No waiting—you can see what you pay for. No carriage charges. Healthy. Come in and see us whether you buy or not.

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Armory—Sikeston

Wednesday, Oct. 21

Wrestle Royal

Lon Chaney, Indiana, wt. 190.
Ole Olesen, Minn., wt. 186.
Rex Mobley, Texas, wt. 190.
Billy McEuin, Texas, wt. 187.
Johnny La Rue, Masked Marvel, wt. 189.

First 2 men out will wrestle 30 minute match. Last 2 men out will wrestle best 2 out of 3 falls 90 minute time limit.

3 Good Matches

No additional cost to you, one lady free Wednesday night with each paid adult ticket.

ANNOUNCING

The Opening of the

HIGHWAY GARAGE

In the Building Formerly Occupied by
Reed & Warren, East of Railroad Park

Pontiac Automobiles and

International Truck Sales and Service

Mr. Elizie Lepley will be in charge of our Mechanical Department and will do general garage work on all makes of Automobiles and Trucks. Do not fail to see us for your Anti-Freeze.

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Lee O'Reilly, Mgr.

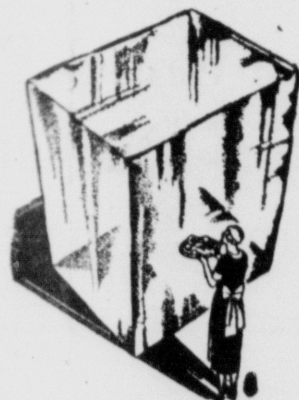
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Winter Ice Schedule

On and after October 26 Trucks will deliver Ice

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of Missouri Pacific Tracks
Monday, Wednesday and Friday

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LOCALS

Mrs. Herbert Bandy left Sunday for Philadelphia, Pa., for about a two months' visit with her sister, Mrs. Sally Chaney.

Dr. Dudley Shaw of Decatur, Ill., visited Dr. and Mrs. B. L. McMullin the first of the week.

Friends of Miss Kathryn Clark, who sustained a badly sprained ankle in a fall two weeks ago, will be glad to know that her condition is improving, although she is unable as yet to walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Smith and son Richard, spent the week end in St. Louis.

Mrs. E. W. Muray of Texarkana, Ark., who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Meiderhoff, left Friday for St. Louis to visit another daughter, before returning to her home.

Miss Imogene Albritton, who is employed with the WPA in Jefferson City, spent the week end here with her family.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Presnell and Mrs. A. E. Shankle visited in Tiptonville, Tenn., Sunday, with Mrs. Presnell's sister, Mrs. G. W. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett spent the week end with relatives in Doniphan.

Mr. and Mrs. Randol Wilson went to Carlinville, Ill., Saturday to spend a week visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Olla Candrey.

Miss Billie Jenkins of Jackson was a week end guest of her sister, Miss Maxine Jenkins, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taylor.

Mrs. F. M. Sikes accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Brown of Charleston and Mrs. Ed P. Crowe of Dexter to Columbia, Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brown.

They will also visit in Jefferson City and Kansas City before returning home the last of this week.

Mrs. H. J. Welsh, Mrs. E. H. Orear, Mrs. Anna Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and daughter, Miss Ruth attended the Sunday meeting of the St. Louis conference of Methodist churches, in Farmington.

Mrs. F. F. Converse returned Saturday from St. Louis, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson, and attended several sessions of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star.

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NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

By Milus R. Davis

Miss Ruby Crabb has resigned as teacher of the Como School in the Parma Consolidated District to take a position in Catron. The vacancy at Como has not been filled at this writing.

Mrs. Agatha Weeks Parks has also been elected lately at Catron School in the Libbourn Consolidated District. The two vacancies at Catron resulted when Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Tope resigned to move to Arkansas where Mr. Tope has a high school position.

Fred Bowman resigned last week as principal of the grades in Canolou to take a position as insurance field agent. His place is taken by Marshall Jackson of Morehouse who was formerly in the insurance business.

All teachers are interested in the November election and are asking their friends to vote "Yes" on Amendment Number Three. This amendment was voted on two years ago and lost by only a narrow margin. New Madrid County gave it splendid support two years ago and is listed among the four progressive rural counties of the state that rolled up a favorable majority.

Amendment Number Three was barely defeated two years ago because of a lack of interest and not because of any valid objection, for it is a fair proposal and merely puts our state in line with the other states of the union. At present, Missouri and Texas are the only two states in the union that have constitutions which prohibit the organization of state teachers' insurance and retirement laws. Amendment Number Three will remove this prohibition or barrier and will allow the matter to be taken up at will by any future legislature that desires to do so.

The large cities are strongly in favor of this amendment. In fact many cities have not waited for the state to sponsor such insurance and retirement fund but have done so locally. City boards are loath to fire an old teacher who has sacrificed her life for the upbuilding of the youth and who has no other means of support, and yet they know that the children suffer when the efficiency of a teacher becomes hampered by old age. So, in order to protect both teacher and pupil, city boards have voluntarily set up insurance and retirement funds.

And you can recall many community quarrels and hot school elections resulting over the question of firing an old teacher who has served faithfully in the past but who has long since reached the peak of efficiency.

Amendment Number Three will permit our future legislatures to deal with this problem if they see fit. Many states have already set up state controlled plans in which the teachers contribute about five per cent of their salaries each year to be invested by a state board. If a teacher quits before the age of retirement, she can withdraw her deposits plus accumulated interest. The state usually matches the teachers' contribution and about half the cost

of the plan is paid by the accumulated interest. P.-T. A. organizations, Ladies' Aid Societies, and other public organizations are urged to invite some school man of the county to present the matter before their body and thus arouse interest of the public.

The Schoolmasters' Club met at Portageville on October 5 with about 40 per cent. Supt. Roy V. Ellis and "Peg" Mahew of Sikeston were outside visitors. Amendment Number Three and other items of interest were discussed. The November meet was voted to be held at Canolou.

D. A. R.

King's Highway Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. A. J. Renner Friday afternoon, October 9. This was the first meeting of the year.

At the business session, reports from officers about the year's work were given. Committees were appointed, and plans for the coming year were discussed. It was reported that Mildred Lynn received the D. A. R. prize in history at the close of school, money was contributed to the Ozark School, and money was contributed to the fund for underprivileged children last winter.

A News Letter from Mrs. Chiles, the State Regent, told of the State Conference held in Excelsior Springs the first of October. Plans were discussed for attending a Regional Meeting to be held at the Marquette Hotel in Cape Girardeau October 24. Before the business session a luncheon will be given.

Miss Lydia Chaney, the program leader, discussed the D. A. R. Magazine, and from the September Number, read several very interesting articles about North Carolina—its scenery, highways, Pisgah National Park, and the renowned wild gardens of Phodendron, Mountain Laurel, and Ozales in the "Land of the Sky."

After the meeting adjourned, a social hour was enjoyed.

GOOD WILL TOURISTS TO STOP IN 16 TOWNS

St. Louis business men who intend to visit Sikeston for a half hour October 27 will also stop in fifteen other Southeast Missouri and Northeast Arkansas towns during a two-day good will tour.

The special Frisco train carrying more than fifty prominent St. Louis business executives will halt in Jackson, Cape Girardeau, Sikeston, Hayti, Kennett, Caruthersville, Steel, Blytheville, Leachville, Jonesboro, Paragould, Reelfoot, Piggott, Malden, Poplar Bluff, and Dexter.

The delegation will be ended by Joseph E. Zipt, district manager of the General Foods Sales Corporation and president of the St. Louis chamber of sales managers' bureau, and H. H. Droste, vice-president of the James H. Forbes Tea and Coffee Company and chairman of the good will committee. The men will return to St. Louis October 28.

HELEN JOHNSON ATTENDS MISSISSIPPI B. S. U. MEET

Blue Mountain, Miss., October 9.—Miss Mary Helen Johnson of Sikeston was one of the delegates from Blue Mountain College Baptist Student Union to the State B. S. U. convention, which was held at Mississippi State College, Starkville, October 16-18. Fifty delegates from Blue Mountain College attended the convention.

SEN BENNETT CLARK TO SPEAK HERE NEXT WEEK

Senator Bennett Clark of St. Louis will speak at a large Democratic rally here either October 26 or 27. Otto Schen, chairman of the Scott county Democratic committee, announced Monday.

Senator Clark will address Democrats in railroad park at a time to be fixed later this week. It is understood he will devote part of his speech to an explanation of the government's social security act.

JOE DOVER'S FOOTBALL PLAYING WINS MENTION

A dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat Saturday morning gave favorable mention to Joe Dover, who is a freshman at Central College in Fayette this year and a member of the football team.

Speaking of Central's chances of winning its first M. C. A. U. game at Tarkio Saturday, the dispatch said: "Hopes for improvement in the team were heightened, however, by the showing of new men in the Eagles' (Central's) game with Maryville last week end. Joseph Dover, Sikeston, freshman center, also played most of the game."

Tarkio won 19 to 14.

NAZARENE EVANGELIST TO TELL LIFE STORY TONIGHT

Rev. H. N. Dickerson of Ashland, Ky., who for the past several days has been conducting revival services in the Sikeston Nazarene church, preached to a full house at both services Sunday, with 11 conversions. His subject for tonight (Monday) will be "From Race Track to Pulpit", and his sermon will be his life story. The public is cordially invited.

Out of City Guests at Dinner. Dr. and Mrs. B. L. McMullin entertained with a dinner Friday evening for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knollman of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stafford and three small daughters of East St. Louis, Ill., Mrs. R. A. Davidson of St. Louis and Miss Beulah Martin of Los Angeles, Calif.

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Bankruptcy Case Discharged

James W. Stone's bankruptcy case was formally discharged in the Cape Girardeau federal court Friday, along with eighteen others.

FRATERNALS WITHDRAW FROM STATE CAMPAIGN

The Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri, organized early this fall to guard the interests of fraternal societies operating in the state, will take no further part in the campaign, Thomas

H. Cannon, chairman of the campaign committee of the national fraternal congress of America, has announced.

The association has withdrawn from the Missouri campaign because of "the favorable attitude publicly expressed by Honorable Jesse W. Barrett and Honorable Lloyd C. Clark," Cannon said.

The Fraternal Protective Association was organized as a result of Insurance Superintendent R. Emmett O'Malley's "attack" on the fraternal benefit system and the societies operating in Missouri. It was formed without "any partisan political motive whatever," Cannon said, and had as its only purpose effecting "the nomination of candidates for governor who would agree that in the event of their election they would use their influence to preserve and protect the Fraternal

Societies and the systems of laws relating thereto, that they would prevent the imposition of taxes upon the Fraternal Societies either by legislation or suits filed in the courts, and that they would not appoint to the office of Insurance Commissioner of the State of Missouri any person who is antagonistic or unfair to the Fraternal Societies or the Fraternal System of Laws, or who has indicated a willingness to collect from the Societies so-called back taxes or the collection of any such so-called taxes in the future."

Major Stark, against whom the fraternal society attack was chiefly directed, completely satisfied members with statements he made in public and at conferences with society representatives.

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U. S. Treasury receipts for the three months of the fiscal year started July 1 were up \$137,451,212 over the corresponding 1935 period. Receipts were listed at \$1,135,915,677 for the 1936 period and \$998,464,464 for the 1935 period.

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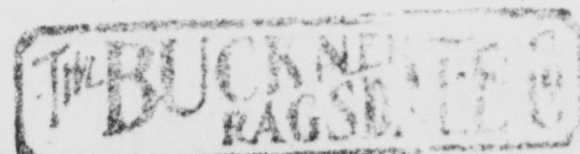
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FORMULA FOR FUN

FOR A SLICK bit of autumn entertaining, try a buffet bridge some evening soon. Your guests can serve their own plates from the dining table then trot off to card tables in the living room for the fun of eating informally.

On the dining table place glasses of chilled Tomato Juice and plates of crisp crackers. Arrange a cluster of cunning fat little brown bean pots brim-filled with Oven-Baked Beans, Boston Style, with a platter of baked ham and a bowl of cole slaw nearby on the table. Fresh Cucumbers Pickle Slices and stuffed celery will add tart crisp touches of garnish to the plates. And do serve Boston brown bread with Currant Jelly to give an authentic finish to this first course. Apple pie with bits of bity cheese and a comforting cup of coffee may be dining room fare if you prefer.



QUICK COLE SLAW

Now the cole slaw is simple. Just shred about 4 cups of cabbage, then add 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons Pure Cider Vinegar, 1 green pepper, chopped, grating of onion juice and a dash of pepper. Sometimes for variation I like to use 1 tart red apple, diced in place of the green pepper. That gives a special party flare you might like to try here. Mix all the ingredients thoroughly.

PATRICIAN PIE

I wonder, do you have a good recipe for apple pie? Every lady is supposed to have one handed down from the generations of gentlefolk

behind her. But they seldom do nowadays. Anyway, here's one with impeccable antecedents. Perhaps you'd like to make it the mainstay of your dessert file. Apple pie (one double crust): Mix 2 cups of flour with 1/2 teaspoon salt. Add 1/2 cup lard, thoroughly chilled, and cut the fat into the flour, using two knives or the tips of your fingers. It's quite easy once you get on to the trick. Do this lightly and deftly so the fat does not melt into the flour. When the fat and flour are blended to pieces the size of peas, gradually add enough cold water to make a stiff smooth dough. Three to four



tablespoons will do the trick. Cover and pop into the refrigerator to chill for an hour before rolling, if possible. In the meantime, pare 5 to 6 tart apples, core and cut into slices—about sixteenths. Place apple slices in a bowl and add to them 1/2 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon or nutmeg, and 1 teaspoon lemon juice. There you have a goodly array of flavors. Then divide the pastry in half, place one-half on a slightly floured molding surface, pat the pastry lightly, then roll out to 1/4 inch in thickness, and a little larger than the pie pan. Fold the sheet of pastry in half and place in a 9-inch pie plate, then unfold pastry. Press lightly to fit plate, and trim edges. Place apples in the pie shell and dot over with 1 teaspoon butter. Roll upper crust to 1/4 inch in thickness and 1 inch larger than plate. Fold in half and make 3 slits, 1/2 inch in length, in center edge of folded side. Moisten edge of lower crust with a little water and place upper crust in position, and trim, leaving 1 inch on all sides. Carefully fold and press down upper crust under lower crust all around the edge. Finish by making a crinkled edge with the finger tips or by marking with the tines of a fork. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) for 15 minutes, then reduce heat to 400° F. and bake until apples are tender—about 45 minutes in all.

Mystery of First American Coin and 15 Gallons of Rum

Washington, Oct. 15.—By a curious method of deduction, Government research workers have virtually decided that today is the 144th anniversary of American coinage.

The exact date has long been a mystery. All the historians had to go on was George Washington's notation that the first coins were minted some time in October, 1792, in Philadelphia.

"There has been a small beginning in the coinage of half dimes

(old world for dimes)," he reported to Congress.

Research, however, has turned up the following notations in the ledgers of Henry Voigt, first chief coiner: "Sept. 11, 1792—First purchase of coinage metal. 'Oct. 6, 1792—Purchased 15 gallons of rum. Oct. 17, 1792—Purchased 15 1/2 gallons of rum."

The mint had only a small force of employees in those days, and while some of the men may have been great drinkers, they would be unlikely to consume 15 gallons of rum in the 11 days between Oct. 6 and Oct. 17 unless some special celebration took place, so the researchers reasoned. The conclusion, therefore, was that the coins were minted on the 15th, followed by a big party that evening.

Private employment increased steadily during the summer months and at least 7,000,000 persons have been put back to work since the low point of the depression, says a recent report of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

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FRATERNALS CALL OFF THEIR FIGHT ON ELECTION OF STARK

Jefferson City, Mo., October 17.—A copy of the circular letter, which is being sent out to the members of all fraternal insurance societies of Missouri, calling off the fight on Maj. Lloyd C. Stark, Democratic candidate for Governor, was made public at Democratic state headquarters here today.

The letter, which is signed by C. F. Wescot, president of the Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri, which was organized to oppose Stark during the primary campaign, because of his refusal to promise not to reappoint R. Emmet O'Malley, Superintendent of Insurance, and the executive officers of the individual societies, states "there is no longer any need for participating in the current campaign," and leaves the policy holders and members of fraternal societies free to support Stark or his Republican opponent, Jesse W. Barrett, as their personal preferences may indicate.

Text of Letter

"Dear Sir and Friend: "On account of an attack that was made upon the fraternal benefit system and the societies operating in the State of Missouri by R. Emmet O'Malley, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Missouri, the fraternal benefit societies operating in Missouri, for their protection and without any partisan political motive whatever, set up an organization under the name of the Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri, the purpose of which was to bring about the nomination of candidates for Governor, who would agree that in the event of their election they would use their influence to preserve and protect the fraternal societies and the system of laws relating thereto, that they would prevent the imposition of taxes upon the fraternal societies either by legislation or suits filed in the courts, and that they would not appoint to the office of Insurance Commissioner any person who is antagonistic or unfair to the fraternal societies or the fraternal system of laws or who has indicated a willingness to collect from the societies so-called back taxes or the collection of any such so-called taxes in the future.

"In view of the favorable attitude publicly expressed of Hon. Jesse W. Barrett and Hon. Lloyd C. Stark, the fraternal societies feel that there is no longer any need for their participating in the current campaign, and, accordingly, no further action will be taken in connection therewith by the Fraternal Protective Association of Missouri or the fraternal societies operating in Missouri.

"Fraternalty yours,
"C. F. WESCOOT,
"General Counsel."

The Wescot letter was sent to the members of the organization that participated in the primary campaign fight.

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PARTY FOR TEACHERS IS WELL ATTENDED

A large crowd of fathers and mothers accepted the invitation of P.-T. A. unit to come out and become better acquainted with the teachers at a social meeting in the high school auditorium Thursday night.

Music by the high school orchestra, with Reid Jann conducting, opened the meeting. Following this, parents, teachers, and board members visited informally while the orchestra members were served refreshments. After this the group was seated again and Lee Bowman, chairman of the board of education, introduced members of the board who were present and Superintendent Roy V. Ellis introduced the teachers. A brief statement of the object of the P.-T. A. was made by the chairman and then the report of the nominating committee was accepted unanimously.

Officers elected were as follows: President, Mrs. T. A. Martin; first vice-president, Mrs. Josephine Veith; second vice-president, Mrs. A. W. Swacker; secretary, Mrs. C. H. Butler; and treasurer, Mrs. C. D. Matthews, III.

After the meeting, doughnuts and grape juice were served.

Mrs. Erma Turner was the honored guest at a birthday dinner Sunday given by her daughters, Mrs. George T. Johnson and Miss Doodle Turner. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and daughter Martha Jane, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McGilvary, Mrs. Chas. White and sons, Tom, Jack, and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hurt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGilvary and son James of California, Mrs. George Johnson and daughter, Betty Ann and son Gene and the hostesses.

Mrs. Guy Morton and son, Jim, Mrs. R. C. Montgomery and Mrs. Nellie Stallings of Marianna, Ark., and Mrs. C. M. McWilliams of Jackson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Shell, Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Schreff was a week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wayne De Lisle in Portageville. Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Schreff and daughters spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. DeLisles and were accompanied home that evening by Mrs. Schreff.

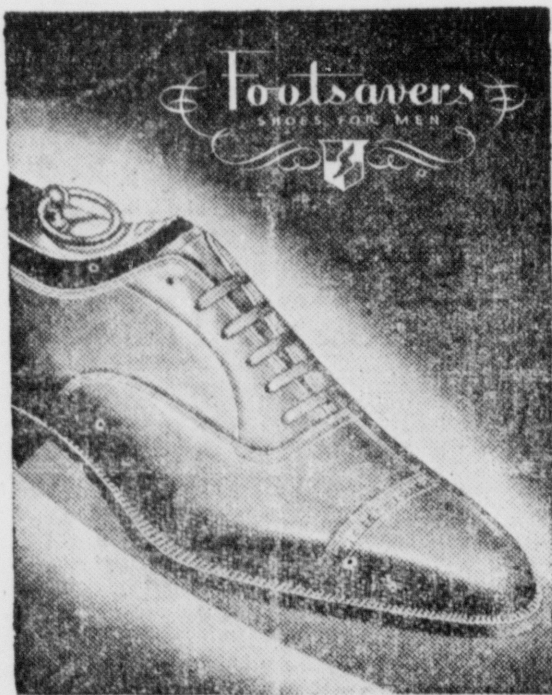
Mr. and Mrs. Will McGilvary and son James, of Crescent City, Calif., arrived Friday night for a three weeks visit here with their parents.

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RECOVERY NOTES

(Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.)

Nearly 5,000,000 more pair of shoes were manufactured in the United States in August than in July, the Census Bureau reports. During the month the country's 978 factories produced 40,068,584 pairs as compared with 35,209,500 in the previous month.

September proved a record-breaking business month. Sales of F. W. Woolworth Co., totaled \$23,433,705, the largest for any September in its history and a gain of 15.76 per cent over the same 1935 month. S. S. Kresge Co., sales amounted to \$11,752,862, compared with \$10,147,936 in September, 1935, an increase of 15.8 per cent. J. J. Newberry Co., sales increased 16.6 per cent to \$3,873,804; G. C. Murphy Co., sales 23.6 per cent to \$2,907,459, and Western Auto Supply sales 55.2 per cent to \$2,265,000.

In contrast to 1935, increasing industrial production this year has been accompanied by a sharp upturn in commercial borrowing, says the weekly letter of the Administrative and Research Corporation of New York. Volume of commercial loans has increased 14.1% and is, at present, at the highest level since early 1933.

Electric power production for the week ending September 29 was 16.1 per cent above the corresponding 1935 period, reports the Associated Press. Actual production was 2,157,278,000 kilowatt hours, all major geographical regions reporting gains over last year.

The National Lumber Manufacturers' Association reports lumber shipments during the week ending September 28 were the heaviest of any week to date in 1936. Shipments for the period totaled 265,871,000 feet. Production, with 569 mills reporting, amounted to 251,939,000 feet.

Bonds on the New York Stock Exchange gained nearly a billion dollars in par value and more than that amount in market value during September. On October 1 bonds listed on the exchange had a par value of \$45,210,851,030 and a market value of \$43,305,464,747. This compares with a September 1 par value of \$44,279,021,992 and a market value of \$42,235,760,556.

Members of the Croquet club enjoyed a weiner roast Saturday evening on the club court at the Chris Francis home on North New Madrid Street.

CHANGES IN SOIL ACT URGED BY FARMERS

Caruthersville, Mo., Oct. 16.—Pemiscot County farmers recommended five changes to the State Committee in the 1937 soil program at a series of community meetings conducted recently. They are:

That the base of 1937 be a certain percentage of crop land for each and every farm in the county; That no deduction be made for planting enough corn to supply feed for the farm, provided corn and not sold through livestock; That soy beans in corn be given a 50 per cent credit as a soil conservation crop, provided beans were pastured or disced under;

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